

HUNS FLEE FROM LILLE SALIENT IN ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE GIANT TRAP

118 LOST ON SHIP BUY BABY BONDS

U. S. S. Tampa Sunk Off
English Coast While On
Convoy Duty

All On Board Perished—
Went Down at Night After
Being Hit by Torpedo

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The U. S. S. Tampa, a former coast guard cutter in naval service, was lost off the English coast Sept. 26, with all on board, while on convoy duty. Ten officers and 102 enlisted men of the crew, one British officer and five civilian employees, lost their lives. A navy department statement today announcing the disaster says the ship was sunk at night in the Bristol channel and that reports indicate that she was struck by a torpedo while escorting a convoy.

233 NEW CASES

Lowell's Grippe Situation
Still Very Bad—Schools
and Theatres Still Closed

It Is Expected All Pastors in
City Will Announce, "No
Services Sunday"

Lowell's schools and theatres are closed indefinitely because of the influenza epidemic. The matter of closing local churches is entirely up to the judgment of the various pastors of the city, according to a decision reached this morning by the board of health following communications received from Henry B. Endicott, of the Massachusetts public safety committee and Dr. John S. Hitchcock, director of the division of communicable diseases of the state board of health. The first communication was received from Mr. Endicott in the form of a telegram reading as follows:

H. B. ENDICOTT.
Mayor Thompson was about to summon local pastors to put the matter up to them when a call from Dr. Hitchcock of the state board of health was received and the doctor said it was the belief of the state board that there was necessity of ordering the churches closed and that such action might cause unnecessary alarm.

Thus the board of health was given contrary directions and it was finally decided to abide by the advice of the state board of health and leave the matter wholly up to the judgment of the local pastors.

With the exception of the churches, all local gatherings of any nature whatever are called off indefinitely. In Boston the theatres are ordered closed until Monday, Oct. 14, but in Lowell no definite date for the reopening of schools or theatres is assigned. They may be opened on short notice.

At the time of going to press, the local pastors had not taken any definite action as a body on the closing proposition.

It is believed that if church services are kept at a minimum as they were last Sunday, churches may be opened without great danger. The matter is wholly up to local pastors.

More Cases Reported
There was another jump in the number of new cases of influenza reported at the board of health office today. Up to early afternoon, 233 had been reported in comparison with 65 at the same time yesterday. The total to date is 2563. There were four more deaths reported today, bringing the total to 76.

Hospital Ready
The isolation hospital in Varnum avenue is very nearly ready to receive patients, according to Mayor Thompson. The sewerage work under the direction of Commissioner Charles J. Morse has been completed and an ingenious device has been conceived and executed to take care of what at first seemed a puzzling situation.

A temporary hoghead contrivance which will take care of all sewerage that may accumulate for some time to come has been placed in position and as far as this phase of preparation goes, the hospital can open at a minute's notice.

Mayor Thompson said this afternoon

Big Liberty Loan Subscrip-
tions Slacken Up But \$50
and \$100 Sales Increase

Expect Sousa's Band, Here
Oct. 14, Will Put Lowell
Far Above Its Quota

Lowell's Fourth Liberty loan subscriptions were advanced to very near the \$1,000,000 mark today as a result of a deluge of small purchases by the general public at the local banks. No large subscriptions had been reported at the time of going to press, but the usual persistent stream of \$50 and \$100 contributions kept the figures on an upward incline.

It will be of interest to Lowell people to know that the Liggett Co. which maintains a store in this city, has subscribed for at least one bond for every one of its employees and these will be carried on the most liberal terms for the employees until they have paid for them themselves. The employees will pay the company at their own convenience.

CONSTANTINEAU DEAD

Thousands of Lowell Ball
Fans Admired the Great
Southpaw Pitcher

The many Lowell friends and admirers of Leo ("Connie") Constantineau, the popular C.B.A.C. pitcher, will be grieved to learn of his death, which occurred yesterday at Portsmouth, Va., where the young man was stationed as a seaman, having joined the United States navy last year. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Constantineau, of 26 Livingston street, this city and two sisters. The body will be brought to this city and taken to the home of his parents by Undertaker William A. Muelk.

Leo Constantineau was 24 years of age and was considered the best all round baseball pitcher this city has produced in recent years. He played with the C.B.A.C. several years and his work was such that it attracted the attention of the big leaguers with the result that on the day he was called into the naval service after enlisting, he received a notice from President McKinley of the Chicago White Sox, notifying him to report to that ball club, but the young man had made up his mind to join the service and he sacrificed what would probably have been a great baseball career for the sake of Uncle Sam and the great fight for democracy.

that influenza patients who are taken in at the hospital will be allowed to stay there only while they are actually bed-ridden and as soon as they are able to walk around, they will be sent home to make room for other sufferers.

For this reason the people who go to the hospital will be fed in bed from the diet room and this means that the large dining room may be used for cots. Thus a large ward will be provided. Besides the main building of the group, two of the shacks will be used and these alone will take care of 50 or 60 patients.

The mayor intends to open the hospital either tomorrow or Saturday unless there is a decided change for the better in conditions about the city.

Time

"There is a time for some things and a time for all things: a time for great things and a time for small things."—Cervantes.

Now is the time to have that aching tooth treated.

DR. A. J. GAGNON

109-466 MERRIMACK ST.

Great Enemy Retreat Continues as Allies Smash on -- Fall of Lens and Armentiers Near

NEW CHANCELLOR LE CATELET FALLS

Prince Maximilian of Baden
Named to Succeed Von
Hertling in Germany

Was Mentioned as Kaiser's
Successor During Move-
ment to Dethrone Emperor

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 3.—Prince Maximilian of Baden has been named German imperial chancellor, according to the Zeitung Amittag of Berlin.

Prince Maximilian is heir to the throne of the grand duchy of Baden. He was born July 10, 1867. For some years he has been recognized as the leader of the Delbrueck group of German moderates and upon the fall of Imperial Chancellor Michaelis, Nov. 1, 1917, he was put forward as the moderate candidate for the chancellorship. His name, however, did not go before the emperor as Prince Maximilian objected for dynastic reasons. At that time there were vague rumors of a movement in moderate circles for the dethronement of Emperor William and the choice of Prince Maximilian as his successor. The rumors were never confirmed, although there seems to be some foundation to them.

In his book, "My Four Years in Germany," former Ambassador James W. Gerard, paid tribute to Prince Maximilian, saying he had been considered as the man to be placed at the head of a central department for prisoners of war in Germany and that such an appointment would have redounded to the benefit of both Germany and the prisoners placed in his charge. Early in the present year, Prince Maximilian gave a semi-official interview in which he outlined his views on Germany's peace terms. His statement was a rude shock to the pan-Germans in that he advocated the abandonment of all ideas of conquest. He advocated an Anglo-Saxon peace, in the sense that the German empire must serve as a bulwark in protecting the western nations from the spread of Russian bolshevism.

Prince Maximilian's wife was formerly Marie Louise, duchess of Brunswick-Lunenburg, and bears the title of princess royal of Great Britain and Ireland.

NEARLY KILLS MOTHER

Mrs. Mary Roseman's Boy

Turns on Gas and Neighbor

Rescues Her in Time

Mrs. Mary Roseman of 53 Elm street was removed to St. John's hospital at 12:45 o'clock this afternoon suffering from gas poisoning, but fortunately her condition is not serious and it is expected that she will be able to leave the institution.

Shortly after dinner Mrs. Roseman went to her bedroom for a nap and while she was enjoying a sleep her small boy turned on the gas, not being aware of the seriousness of his act. Shortly afterward a neighbor smelled gas and after an investigation found Mrs. Roseman suffering from the effects of the poison. The ambulance was summoned in haste and the sick woman was removed to St. John's hospital.

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Report Ramicourt, Gouy and
Sequehart Also Taken by
British

Unofficial Message Also An-
nounces 2000 Germans
Taken by British Today

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Oct. 3.—(By the Associated Press)—Field Marshal Haig's forces are reported to have captured Ramicourt, Gouy, Le Catelet and Sequehart. This has not been officially confirmed. More than 2000 Germans have been taken prisoners today by the British.

O'NEILL INSURES STARS

Former Lowell Man Gets
Anita Stewart, Francis
Bushman and Wife to Sign

Lowell friends of M. C. O'Neill, special representative of the New York Life Insurance company and general agent for New England, will be interested in a recent exploit of his.

O'Neill will be regarded by insurance men the country over as an underwriter who recorded a bullseye in this latest stunt of his. He has succeeded in getting Anita Stewart, one of the best known and most beautiful motion picture actresses, to put her name on the dotted line of an application for insurance whose figure is to be \$500,000.

Having accomplished this, O'Neill secured enough of the time and attention of Francis X. Bushman and his now wife, Beverly Bayne, to interest them in the benefits of life insurance so that they took out a joint policy for \$1,000,000. In what was probably less than a day's work for him, as regards actual time spent, O'Neill earned in commissions what will amount to enough to pay a fair salary to the average man for a five-year period. But his Lowell friends hasten to add that some credit must be given O'Neill's personality, experience and knowing when to "close the sale."

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Le Catelet, Ramicourt, Gouy and Sequehart Reported Captured by British

British Hammering Hun Defense Lines North of St. Quentin—French Surge On Near Rheims and In Champagne—German Hold On Belgium Near End— Evacuate Entire Coast—Yanks in Heavy Fighting

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
On a front of 20 miles between Armentieres and Lens, the Germans continue to retire from the salient west of the fortress of Lille. North of St. Quentin the British again are storming the German defense lines, while in Champagne the French are pressing northward, threatening the German communications.

Evacuation of the Lille salient is the direct result of the allied advances in Flanders and around Cambrai. The British are keeping close at the heels of the Germans, who already have retired an average of two miles, but there is no indication of where the enemy will stop or whether he will extend his withdrawal movement to include the region of Douai and attempt to form a straight line from Roulers through Lille and Douai to Cambrai.

Fall of Lens Imminent
Armentieres and Lens apparently are held by the enemy but their fall to the British probably is only a matter of a few hours. With Lens in the hands of the British and the German line moved back to near Lille or beyond, the great coal fields in this district which the Germans have defended tenaciously for four years, will no longer be of use to them.

Enemy's Hold on Belgium Threatened
In Flanders, Belgians, British and French continue their pressure against the stiffened resistance of the enemy. The salient driven in by the allies threatens the Germans' hold on Belgium and an advance of perhaps 10 miles toward Ghent probably would compel the enemy to retire to the northern Meuse line.

New British Attack
On the Cambrai-St. Quentin front the British have maintained their gains despite strong German counter thrusts. The new British attack north of St. Quentin probably is against the Beaulieu-Fonssomme line where Field Marshal Haig holds the sharp salient in the German line.

New Gains For French
Generals Berthelot and Gouraud continue their attacks north of Rheims and in Champagne and have taken further ground from the enemy. North of Rheims the enemy has been driven from most of the hill positions and soon will be in the open where the French advance may be more rapid. In Champagne, General Gouraud has captured Challerange, a railroad junction and his guns now command the junction of Vouziers, farther north. In losing Challerange, the Germans lost command of the railway running through the Argonne forest at Grand Pre. The line was the main supply line of the Germans facing the Americans east of the Argonne.

Try to Escape Giant Trap
In withdrawing in the Lille salient the Germans are endeavoring to get out of the giant trap which Marshal Foch has constructed. While hammering the formidable Cambrai-Lens line by thrusts in Flanders and from Rheims to the Meuse, he is bending back the German flanks. The German supply lines are menaced by the allied advances on the flanks and should they be cut the German situation would be most desperate.

It would seem, however, that the retirement, unless to a great depth, would be of little ultimate avail toward putting off a retreat all along the line from the North sea to Alsace.

254,000 Germans Captured
From July 15 to Sept. 30, the allied

armies in France and Belgium captured from more than 254,000 prisoners, 3600 guns and 3000 machine guns. From Sept. 10 to Sept. 30, 123,000 men, 1600 cannon and more than 6000 machine guns were taken.

Fleeing From Lille
Outflanked and imperilled by the advance of the Anglo-Belgian armies east of Ypres, the enemy is now rapidly retreating.

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ANNUAL REUNION
The annual reunion of the alumni of Notre Dame academy, scheduled for the latter part of the month, has been postponed until next month, the exact date to be announced later.

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If the people of Lowell will only use tact and patience and do their best to conserve fuel by using some of the so-called poorer grades of coal through the fall months, there will be no shortage sufficient to cause suffering here this winter, is the opinion of the local coal dealers.

Anthracite coal in all forms is daily finding its way into the local freight yards and, although it is not coming in the quantity of other years, the transportation facilities are expected to prove adequate to the task of getting the city's quota in the yards as per schedule. The fuel committee has obtained a material increase in its quota for the city, and has every assurance that this will be filled.

In view of the fact that the committee has an allotment of coal which will enable it to give every household two-thirds of the amount he used last winter, and also that the railroads will get the coal into the yards in seasonable time, all that is necessary for Lowell people to do in order not to be pinched for fuel is to adopt all possible conservation measures.

This conservation may be carried out by different methods. Among those suggested by the local dealers are the following: Buckwheat coal, by using a little skill and application, this coal has proved a very acceptable substitute for egg and stove coal, and as every household is allowed a small supply of this coal in addition to his two-thirds allotment of egg, nut or stove coal, it presents itself as an admirable means of conserving the supply.

Soft or bituminous coal: This is not very generally used by the public, but in a pinch it will be found that with a little care the kitchen stove will produce results with this coal. There is a large supply of this coal in this city, and it can be obtained in addition to the regular allotment.

The fuel committee's latest ruling, which provides that coal shall be distributed in one-ton amounts to those whose orders have remained unfilled since last summer by reason of the shortage of labor on the part of the dealers, seems judicious. Were the complete allotment delivered to each waiting customer, instead of one ton, the city's supply would soon be exhausted. By giving a small amount to all, the city's coalpile is constantly replenished through the daily incoming coal arriving at the yards, and thus an uninterrupted supply is assured.

SUN BREVITIES

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Doys' V-neck sweaters, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.00 at J. C. Meneau's, cor. Merrimack and Hanover streets.

Big line of New Stylish Hats for young men at J. C. Meneau's, cor. Merrimack and Hanover streets.

The sessions of Middlesex superior court, which were to have opened on Monday, Oct. 7, at Cambridge and Lowell, have been postponed until Monday, Oct. 14, by order of the court.

Mrs. Omer J. Smith of 90 Allen street returned yesterday from a three months' trip to Canada during which time she was the guest of friends and relatives.

Miss Ann Dorothy Moody, of 20 Boylston street, will enter the senior class of Leland Powers school, Boston, Oct. 14. She is now qualifying to enter that class which amounts to her accomplishing two years' work in one year.

Dewey Archambault of the firm of Amodee Archambault & Sons, undertakers, and Victor and Ralph Rochette, sons of Dr. L. V. Rochette of Merrimack street, have enlisted in the Student Army Training Corps at Boston college and they will enter upon their new duties Oct. 10.

In accordance with a suggestion from the office of the provost marshal general, Mayor Thompson has sent affidavits to various local exemption boards stating that registrants who are members of the local police department are necessary employees and should be exempted from military service.

What will doubtless prove a severe handicap to the town of Billerica in its fight with the present epidemic of influenza is the illness of Dr. M. A. Buck. The calls for his services have come thick and fast during the past two weeks, giving him practically no time to rest or sleep, with the result that he is now confined to his bed.

John C. McMillan, the popular foreman at the car yards of the Bay State street railway in this city, has been promoted to be car inspector for Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill and Woburn. The position of foreman will be filled by Robert R. Thomas, who was formerly assistant to Mr. McMillan.

In the suburban advertising column today the attention of the people of Chelmsford is called to a notice given by the board of health of that town in which the churches are ordered closed until further notice, also the libraries and all gatherings are forbidden. This order is issued in accordance with the request of the state emergency health committee. In this appeal Henry B. Endicott states that by using these means of checking the spread of the epidemic, the physicians' efforts will be helped to a great extent, and it will tend to bring about a speedy termination of the disease.

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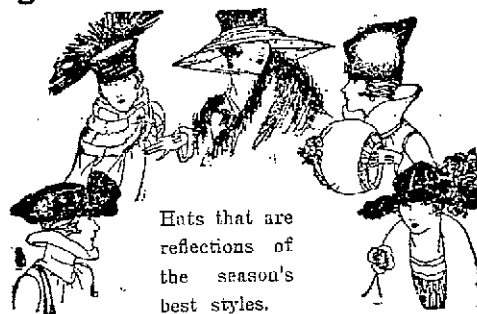


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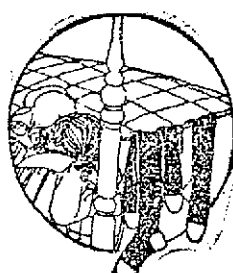
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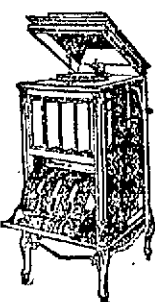
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FIVE STATES PAY TWO THIRDS OF ALL TAXES

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Five states, New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio and Massachusetts—furnished nearly two-thirds of the taxes collected by the government during the fiscal year ending last June 30. Of the \$3,694,703, 331 collected in federal taxes, these states gave \$2,282,000,000, or 61 per cent, and of the \$2,839,093,585 gathered from income and excess profits taxes, the principal source of revenue, these states supplied \$1,865,000,000 or 65 per cent. From miscellaneous taxes, \$555, 619,748 was collected in the whole country.

New York paid \$839,378,000, of which \$689,365,000 was income and excess profits taxes, or 22 per cent of the entire nation's collections. This was largely due to the fact that many corporations with plants scattered through the country reported earnings from their New York headquarters.

Income and excess profits taxes in 1918 were 7.9 times greater than income taxes in 1917. A table of collections from these sources by states in the two years shows that West Virginia jumped from \$1,021,000 to \$45, 649,000, an increase of nearly 24 times proportionately greater than any other

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state. Utah stood lowest in the record of gains with a little less than twice the 1917 amount.

New York, which showed 26 per cent of the total income taxes in 1917, reported only 24 per cent this year. Pennsylvania collected 11.8 times as much in 1918 as in 1917. Illinois showed a gain of 10.5 times, Ohio 11 times and Massachusetts 8.2 times. Southern states with a few exceptions reported gains exceeding the average for the whole country.

The revenue bureau has not yet tabulated income and excess profits tax collections to show separately the amounts from corporations, partnerships and individuals.

Collections by states and territories, showing income and excess profits taxes, with the difference representing miscellaneous taxes, were reported as follows:

State	Income and excess profits tax (000's omitted)	Total (000's omitted)
Alabama	18,210	18,210
Alaska	241	241
Arizona	6,179	6,179
Arkansas	6,731	6,731
California	76,641	109,815
Colorado	23,190	28,004
Connecticut	62,190	74,347
Delaware	27,110	32,943
Dist. of Columbia	8,822	12,791
Florida	4,439	7,367
Georgia	16,230	19,015
Hawaii	5,921	5,921
Idaho	2,067	2,067
Illinois	275,379	382,454
Indiana	29,054	37,580
Iowa	14,973	17,160
Kansas	25,943	29,211
Kentucky	20,946	25,764
Louisiana	21,507	25,166
Maine	12,016	13,287
Maryland	40,093	51,407
Massachusetts	166,598	191,814
Michigan	71,061	104,078
Minnesota	58,215	70,706
Mississippi	1,464	5,337
Missouri	60,012	88,589
Montana	1,928	2,938
Nebraska	11,335	13,813
Nevada	609	842
New Hampshire	8,318	7,766
New Jersey	11,811	103,276
New Mexico	1,802	2,528
New York	689,378	689,378
North Carolina	20,351	29,676
North Dakota	1,928	2,938
Ohio	241,037	300,326
Oklahoma	18,261	19,533
Oregon	6,670	11,473
Pennsylvania	495,839	689,091
Rhode Island	18,335	20,473
South Carolina	7,834	8,451
South Dakota	2,478	2,838
Tennessee	14,173	15,333
Texas	30,313	40,014
Vermont	2,804	3,572
Virginia	4,880	5,372
Washington	21,439	32,093
West Virginia	19,334	20,865
Wisconsin	45,318	48,012
Wyoming	39,193	50,779
Philippine Islands	5,653	3,690
		785

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OCT. 12 PROGRAM GIVEN

Splendid Exercises Surround Dedication of Parkway and Bust Columbus Day

The committee in charge of the dedication of Cardinal O'Connell parkway and bust which is to be held Columbus day, Oct. 12, announced today the program of exercises surrounding the former unveiling of the monument and in detail it is as follows:

10 a. m. parade from South common through principal streets to Centralville, counter-march to Merrimack st. to the parkway.

Opening address, Hon. James B. Casey, chairman of the committee.

Prayer, Rt. Rev. William O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick's church.

Address of presentation, Mr. Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of schools.

Acceptance on behalf of the city, Mayor Perry D. Thompson.

Address, Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, address, His Eminence William Cardinal O'Connell.

Patriotic selections, united choirs and school children.

A meeting of the committee in charge will be held Sunday afternoon when minor details of the celebration will be perfected.

The kids, of the chief marshal, more than 120 in all, will present a fine appearance. They will wear frock coats, silk hats, grey gloves, grey ties and a handsome cardinal sash. An honorary civic committee of 100 prominent citizens has been appointed and as far as replies are received from those who have been invited to participate in this division, Secretary Warren P. Rorand is checking off the list. It is planned that the civic committee and the general committee shall march in the parade, the regulation dress for the aids prevailing for these parties, also. Grand Knight Robert R. Thomas of the Knights of Columbus wishes every member of the council to take part in the celebration as the council is making every effort to make a brilliant showing.

A Springfield woman was greatly disappointed when her application for a card for sugar which she said she wanted to use to make fudge with was refused.

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SOLDIER APPRECIATED A BATH AFTER BATTLE

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—When a soldier comes out of battle the things he longs for are a hot meal, a shave, a bath, a change of clothing and a real bed. During the July and August offensive when the Germans were driven across the Marne to the Vesle and with the Americans on the move northward day and night it was no easy matter to provide the soldiers with these essentials but day after day the task was accomplished and in many instances the water for bathing purposes was hot.

Further improvement of the system of providing baths for the men on the very edge of the battlefields is contemplated. American officers say that the day is not far away when the rolling shower bath apparatus will be as common a sight along the roads back of the lines as the rolling kitchens today.

One of the divisions engaged in the recent fighting used 48 showers heads and also a disinfectant which battle-soiled clothing was sterilized.

"Even with this meagre equipment we have been able to keep the fighting men in good condition," an officer reported. "At the bathing centre we can bathe 1200 to 1500 men each day. During the offensive we averaged 1027 men per day. As they were relieved from the line they were either marched to bathe or transported in camions, and every man was given a good, hot bath and change of clothing. In four days 5642 men and 131 officers passed through the baths.

"The effect of the baths on the men was wonderful. They came from the front lines worn out, dirty, clothing torn, and left the baths splendidly bucked up, physically and mentally. As most of these men had to go back into the line a few days after coming out, one can appreciate the value of a bath and change of clothing.

"It was exceedingly gratifying to feel that we did not essentially cease to work while the division was in inaction, at a time when it was very important that the men coming back should have the effect of a bath and clean clothing.

The medical officer's report sets forth that efforts are under way to arrange for transportation of the bathing equipment "so as to continue the bathing program whenever the division moves to a new area."

In many instances the soldiers' rest camps are located along streams and when this is the case the men are taken in detachments of several hundreds at a time for a real summer swim and allowed to remain in the water as long as they like. But up front, when baths are being provided within sound of the big guns, each man is only allowed so many minutes in the water and he comes out looking forward to getting back to civilization and contemplating spending an hour or so in a nice big tub.

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The total tonnage in new construction for the first nine months of 1918 was 1,174,641, as compared with 743, 833 in the corresponding period of last year. The total for 12 months ending September, 1918, was 1,594,862.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS

The United States civil service commission announces competitive examinations to be held as follows:

Assistant in marketing live stock and meats, (male), salary, \$1500 to \$2400 per annum; library assistant, (male and female), salary, \$900 to \$1200 per annum; assistant to purchaser of supplies, (male), salary, \$1500 to \$1800 per annum; surveyor and transitman, (male), salary, \$100 to \$125 a month.

Oct. 8: Mechanical engineer in experimental work, (male), salary, \$840 per annum.

Oct. 22: Minor stenographer-typewriter, (male and female), salary, \$800 to \$1000 per annum; minor stenographer, (male and female), salary, \$900 to \$1000 per annum; minor typewriter, (male and female), salary, \$900 to \$1000 per annum.

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as compared with 957,185 for the previous year.

In the second quarter of 1917 the world's merchant shipping suffered a loss of 2,236,934 tons, but in the last three months for which figures are available, namely, June, July and August, the total was 932,556 tons—a reduction of 53 per cent.


UNIFORM DIVORCE LAW

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—A federal constitutional amendment for uniform divorce laws was urged yesterday before the house judiciary committee by a delegation headed by the Rev. William T. Manning, rector of the Trinity Episcopal church, New York city.

"Divorce is so easy that many marry with divorce in mind," declared Dr. Manning. He added that the rich in New York evaded their state law by going to states having lenient laws.

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German and Austrian Rulers
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the People

Repeated Disasters to Hun
Armies and Certainty of In-
vasion Leading to Revolt

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Signs are multiplying in reports reaching the state department from various agencies in neutral European countries of the rapid weakening of the despotic control which the military elements in Germany and Austria have imposed upon the civilian population. So extensive and consequential are the events quickly following one another in Berlin and Vienna that American officials are becoming convinced that the imperial rulers have been forced, however reluctantly, to the conviction that if they are to preserve their dynasties from destruction they must yield to the growing demands of the civilian elements for the right of participation in the government during this crisis.

Scared by Defeats
The military parties have retained their control only because of their asserted ability to secure a military decision that would confirm German supremacy over continental Europe, and the British Isles as well. Now that the German armies are being defeated and driven back into Germany, and the nation is confronted with the painful certainty of an invasion and retributive justice for the wrongs inflicted upon the French and Belgians, the influence of the Pan-Germans and military parties is waning, and it is believed that the two emperors have decided that if they are to retain the support of the people they must turn to the civilian parties that have been demanding a voice in affairs.

It was pointed out yesterday that President Wilson has repeatedly declared that with the military rules of the central powers convicted of broken faith and deceit there can be no discussion of the peace for which the German people apparently are clamoring. Hence the belated attempts of the emperors to erect a structure of real democratic government through the creation of cabinets responsible to the parliaments in the hope that with these the ostentatious statesmen will be willing to confer about peace.

Signs of New Cabinet
Indications of such a purpose are discerned by American officials in various utterances and acts of the German and Austrian leaders. In his acceptance of the resignation of Premier von Hertling, Emperor William appealed to the strong men of Germany to come to his aid and share the burden of government, a direct bid for the support of the socialists and centrists in return for the participation in the cabinet.

Then there are statements in leading German newspapers, significant because they have passed the scrutiny of the German censors, that the creation of a responsible cabinet is under consideration. Next is the refusal of the socialists to enter the government as at present constituted, indicative of a determination to hold out for the right of the majority party in the Reichstag to name the members of the cabinet even though that involves the change of the German constitution.

Socialists May Get Control
As a half way measure and in a desperate effort to save the imperial prerogative Emperor William already has tried the expedient of himself selecting leaders of the opposition parties for minor places in the cabinet and promising to forward the enactment of popular measures. But the socialists have generally declined to accept anything short of absolute control through the Reichstag of the cabinet, without reference to the wishes of the emperor, and we officials believe that at length they are about to realize their aspirations.

Such a change in Germany doubtless would be followed, if not indeed preceded, by a similar revolution in Austrian parliamentary government, and it is fully expected that as soon as real representative government is a fact in the central empires there will

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The Observant Lady

I saw a woman today, whose home is in one of Lowell's finest residential districts, driving her large touring car, well stocked with supplies to aid in the relief of those suffering from the prevailing epidemic, and it was easy to see that she was very anxious to cover a great deal of ground during the day. Until recently she has employed a chauffeur, but owing to the fact that she lost the services of a man who had been inducted into the service, she has been without one for some time. To enable her to make her trips of goodwill, she needed the automobile, and whether a man were available or not, her mission could not be delayed on that account. She therefore, does an ulster, adjusts the large "rockers" over her eyes and sits at the wheel with an expression of determination for she is a true, patriotic American woman, and is equal to any emergency.

If you happen to walk down Market be an irresistible movement toward peace, even on the terms laid down by President Wilson.

In this connection the news yesterday that the Austrian emperor had summoned to Vienna the three biggest men of Hungary, Counts Tisza, Andrássy and Apponyi, was received here with undisguised interest. This action was regarded as very significant, although officials were not certain whether it had to do with the Bulgarian withdrawal from the war with its direct threat to the dual monarchy, or with internal reforms, or was a definite move for a separate peace.

Counts Tisza, Andrássy and Apponyi, each of whom has been premier of Austria-Hungary, are members of three different parties. Count Tisza is considered the most uncompromising pro-German leader in the empire. Andrássy has been for peace since the outbreak of the war, and has vigorously opposed the government, especially after the signing of the recent treaty between Germany and Austria, under which Austria was made a vassal state. Apponyi has been a leader of one of the strong Hungarian parties demanding supremacy of Hungary in the empire.

When you buy that Liberty bond I hope there is a smile upon your face, and not an expression to indicate you think you are doing your duty. I think we should feel glad that we can be of some help and that if our money can express patriotic desire to serve, we ought to feel we are fortunate in being given the opportunity to thus show our loyalty.

The women at the local chapter of the Red Cross made a very wise move when they sent out sewing to a certain group of young ladies on Monday of this week. I was fortunate enough to be able to assist with this work, which was to aid in the relief work in connection with the grippe. The huge bundle of articles was soon disposed of, and with many willing hands, the task was completed in a short time. The best part of it was the fact that everybody enjoyed doing it. It did not seem hard to devote one evening to this work, for there are always some new war songs to be sung and some new tales to tell, and the hours are spent in a happy, useful manner.

I read the other day that Elsie Janis, the actress, was now over in France doing her share towards entertaining the soldier boys. When I read about the different actors and actresses who perhaps have been favorites, making the trip overseas, there seems to come a glad feeling, rather than one that we have lost something and will miss it, etc. I think most of us would not mind if all our stage favorites thought it necessary to serve in that capacity, for we want our boys to have the very best, and surely they cannot have it if we retain a selfish desire to want to keep them here for our own enjoyment.

The old vessel Commodore, which has long lain at anchor on the Chicago river and since the outbreak of the war has been a receiving ship for the navy, has been made a land structure by filling in around the hull with clay and rocks, inside a bulkhead on the water side.

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BY LEE HERBERT SMITH, M. D.

In the above drawing from the human blood in health (Fig. A) and in anemia (Fig. B) we see how the blood changes, as seen through a microscope, when a person is thin-blooded as in anemia (Fig. B). During the long winter months most women are housed up in the home, office or factory, getting little good air or proper exercise. Therefore the following spring or summer they feel weak, nervous, look pale, or the skin breaks out in pimples, eruptions or boils; one feels "blue" and without energy. Sometimes hands are cold and "clammy." Women often are so pale they look almost green—often called "green sickness." At such times there is a large decrease in the red or white blood corpuscles and the blood cells instead of being round and healthy take on irregular shapes, as in Fig. B.

What's to be done in such cases? Put iron in your blood, and the cells become round and red; they lose the irregular shape and you gain in vim, vigor and vitality. By experiments and actual test, I have found that the best combination of iron with herbal extracts is to be found in an iron tonic, called "Ironito," and sold by most druggists in tablets of one hundred for sixty cents. You will find that instead of pale cheeks, feelings of lassitude, tired, worn out before day is half done, after taking "Ironito" your cheeks will have color, you will feel strong and vigorous, and "ready for the fray." Start now and you will be surprised how full of vim, vigor and vitality you will feel in a few short weeks.

O'LEARY AS CHAIRMAN

O'Sullivan and Other Democratic Leaders to Work for Long's Election

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—The resignation of Michael A. O'Leary as chairman of the democratic state committee, advocated by Richard H. Long, the party's candidate for governor, was refused at a meeting of 30 members of the committee yesterday afternoon and evening in the Quincy House.

Reconciliation has now been effected and Candidate Long and the committee will work in harmony during the campaign which will end Nov. 5.

Confident of Harmony
"I thought that a man who had been with me through the primary campaign should head the senate committee and work for my election during the final campaign," said Candidate Long last night. "However, the committee thought otherwise. I am an organization man and will work with the organization. Everything will be done by Mr. O'Leary and the committee to build up and reorganize the city and town democratic committees. I feel sure that with harmony assured now we will win."

A committee composed of Harold Williams of Dedham, Chandler Wood of Winchester, Edward P. Barry of Boston, John P. Mitchell of Marlboro and Frank Moynihan of Boston met with Mr. Long after the meeting and informed him of the committee's action in voting to retain Chairman O'Leary.

Conference Tomorrow
At that time arrangements were made for another conference to be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in Mr. Long's State street offices. David I. Walsh of Fitchburg, democratic candidate for the United States senate, and other party nominees, will be present and plans for the campaign throughout the state will be made.

In addition to saying that he is willing to work with Chairman O'Leary and the state committee, Mr. Long last night declared that it is quite possible that an executive committee will be appointed to work with the officers of the state committee. Stories of riotous party meetings in the afternoon were laughed at.

At the opening of the afternoon session, with Chairman Joseph A. Maynard of Boston, Charles B. Storker of Boston and Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell was appointed to escort Mr. Long to the meeting. When Long arrived he was introduced by Chairman O'Leary. He then stated his position in relation to the state committee and political organizations, and hoped that whatever the outcome the committee would work with him.

E. P. Barry, defeated candidate for the nomination for governor, then moved that the resignation of Chairman O'Leary "be not accepted" and the motion was carried by a vote of 15 to 1, with nine not voting.

The committee also voted to postpone the date of the annual state convention, which will be held in Worcester, from Oct. 5 to Oct. 19, because of the influenza epidemic.

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Only a few Massachusetts names appear on this list and no Lowell names are on it.

Killed in Action
Cor. M. Hirshovitz, 45 Irving st., Boston, Mass.
Pr. E. Q. Anderson, Roxbury rd., New Britain, Conn.

Died from Wounds Received in Action
Lt. A. K. Atkins, 147 Mason terrace, Brookline, Mass.

Wounded Severely
Lt. R. G. Flynn, 44 Magazine st., Cambridge, Mass.

Pr. J. F. Cavanaugh, 44 Madison st., Quincy, Mass.

Pr. R. J. Crouch, 3 Oak st., Greenfield, Mass.

Pr. J. D. Duggan, 3 Hill st., Jewett City, Conn.

Pr. W. P. Gillespie, 4 Danforth pl., Roxbury, Mass.

Pr. H. G. Kane, 100 Campfield av., Hartford, Conn.

Pr. F. W. Kennedy, 900 Stafford st., Fall River, Mass.

Pr. D. J. Monette, 127 Belcher st., Chicopee Falls, Mass.

Pr. J. Reback, 340 W. Portsea st., New Haven, Conn.

Pr. T. J. Sullivan, 107 Douglas st., Manchester, N. H.

Pr. W. J. Vaillancourt, 51 Greenfield st., Lawrence, Mass.

Pr. J. E. O'Clare, Grosvenor, Dale, Conn.

Missing in Action
Ser. F. Bukoski, 54 Vaughn st., Gardner, Mass.

Cor. E. J. Buckley, 205 Warren ave., Whitman, Mass.

Pr. N. Allen, Amahnet station, New Bedford, Mass.

Pr. E. Chevalier, 33 Brown st., Fairhaven, Mass.

Pr. D. Cloutier, 161 Alberta av., Somerset, Mass.

Pr. C. E. Coupe, Swansea, Mass.

Pr. T. J. Devitt, 121 Dudley st., Providence, R. I.

Pr. P. L. Fillion, State av., Fall River, Mass.

Released for This Afternoon

Killed in Action
Pr. Philip J. O'Connell, 166 Batley st., Lawrence, Mass.

Pr. Nelson B. Le France, 20 Hazel st., Hartford, Conn.

Pr. Patrick Rialano, 120 Washington st., Franklin, Mass.

Died from Accident and Other Causes
Pr. Russell G. Arey, 77 Elm st., Camden, Maine.

Wounded Severely
Lt. Clyde Fulmer Vance, Beacon av., Norwood, Mass.

Cor. Peter Yagan, 205 New Village st., Plainfield, Conn.

Pr. Joshua Bond, 10 Marcella st., Roxbury, Mass.

Pr. John F. Hill, Newport, Vt.

Pr. Joseph J. Kishan, 8 Harris av., Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Pr. Harry Leach, Eden Mills, Vt.

Pr. Arthur E. Lord, Enfield, Mass.

Pr. Hugh Fitzsimmons, 439 Howard av., New Haven, Conn.

Pr. William P. Beebe, 404 Bank st., New London, Conn.

Pr. Frank R. Colangelo, 300 Orange st., Waterbury, Conn.

Pr. Albert Gorman, 403 Roxbury st., Keene, N. H.

Pr. Joseph Gyzowski, Box 54 Winchester, Mass.

Pr. Anton Kronieski, 9 Fifth st., North, Conn.

Pr. Edward W. McCabe, 187 Linwood st., Brockton, Mass.

Pr. William J. McCoy, Box 283 Fall River, Mass.

Pr. Joseph B. McDermott, 318 Bassett st., New Haven, Conn.

Pr. Patrick McHugh, 26 Eighth st., Cambridge, Mass.

Pr. Charles McKenna, 1 Washington st., Canton, Mass.

Pr. John F. Maloney, 92 Warren st., Meriden, Conn.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined)
Pr. William Armstrong, 104 Summer st., Somerville, Mass.

Missing in Action
Pr. Sid Murphy, Sanatois, Mass.

Pr. Perry W. Burns, 599 Maine st., Waltham, Mass.

Pr. Terrence O'Brien, 26 E. Main st., Gloucester, Mass.

Section No. 2, released this afternoon.

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary forces:

Killed in action, 95; missing in action, 35; wounded severely, 102; died of accident and other causes, two; died from wounds, 13. Total, 347.

The following from New England:

Killed in Action
Ser. P. F. Lyons, Beverly, Mass.

Pr. W. F. McShane, Newtonville, Mass.

Pr. P. Majorski, Peabody, Mass.

Wounded Severely
Rug. M. Cohan, 13 Pearson st., Andover, Mass.

Pr. E. W. Rismiller, Beacon Falls, Conn.

MACHINE CORPS CASUALTIES
Killed in action: Four; died of wounds received in action, one; wounded in action, severely, 24; wounded in action, degree undetermined, one; missing in action, one; in hands of enemy, one. Total, 32. The New England names:

Pr. D. E. Proctor, Cambridge, Mass.

Severely Wounded
Pr. T. W. Crane, Dorchester, Mass.

Severely Wounded. (Previously Reported Missing)
Cor. A. Florentino, Everett, Mass.

Died of Wounds Received in Action
Ser. D. P. Dutton, Boston.

Killed in Action
Pr. M. Coucou, East Boston.

Pr. J. F. Kennedy, South Boston.

Wounded Severely
Pr. W. H. Cream, Worcester.

Pr. J. C. Duran, Cambridge.

Pr. A. F. Ferguson, Rutland, Mass.

Pr. F. A. Gallagher, Waltham, Mass.

Pr. W. Harris, North Graton, Mass.

Pr. R. H. Knipe, Worcester.

Pr. S. Kowalski, Ware, Mass.

Pr. G. P. Ogilvie, Ascutneyville, Vt.

Pr. J. L. Pickett, 23 Roland st., Lynn, Mass.

Pr. J. H. Sheridan, Worcester.

Pr. P. M. Woods, Woburn, Mass.

**CARE OF LOTS DISCUSSED
BY CEMETERY BOARD**

In order that complaints resultant from individuals taking care of their own lots in local cemeteries may be avoided, the board of cemetery commissioners at a meeting last night, discussed a plan whereby this work should be centralized and come under the general supervision of the commission. William H. Rigby, chairman, said that he didn't wish to criticize firms which are now taking care of cemetery lots in a proper manner, but rather wished to protect them. Other lot owners, however, have hired men incompetent for the work and in some cases poor work is charged up to the cemetery commission. It is to avoid this evil that the commission wishes to have the care of lots centralized under the direction of the commission. Other matters taken up at the meeting were mostly of a routine nature. It was decided to build an addition to the commission's office building in the spring to provide a shelter in bad weather. Monthly bills were approved.

Next Door to Everybody
in Lowell

THE JAMES CO

MERRIMACK STREET, COR. OF PALMER

Lowell's Fastest Growing
Store for Women

418 Of Fashion's Newest, Smartest 29.50 to 54.50

FALL SUITS IN A SALE

25⁰⁰ and 39⁵⁰

This is a store to conjure with. Something happening every minute of our busy day.

How best we can save them D-O-L-L-A-R-S on things they need.

Always planning how best we can serve our customers.

And out of this planning comes a

"POPULARITY" SUIT SALE TO MAKE EVEN MORE POPULAR THIS FAST GROWING STORE FOR WOMEN

—This is our method of showing our appreciation of your good will.

taking from our regular stocks 418 of our newest Fall models and reducing them to a price that you would expect to pay at the end of the season.

—Doing as we are doing in this sale—

Tomorrow and Saturday

—Gala Days, We'll Sell:

Two Hundred and
Seventy-eight
29.50 to 32.50

Suits

25⁰⁰

One Hundred
and Forty
47.50 to 54.50

Suits

39⁵⁰

—These, you'll agree when you see them, are the smartest suits that have been shown in this town this season.

—Each one is a new Fall model.

—Each is individual in style—and the style range is most complete.

—Included in these two sale lots are every popular, serviceable material brought forth this season; such as Silvertone, Broadcloth, Velvet, Wool Velour, Velour de Laine, Poplin, Mannish Serges, New American Poplins and Tricotine.

—The trimmings are elaborate or simple, as you prefer. There is a wide range in both.

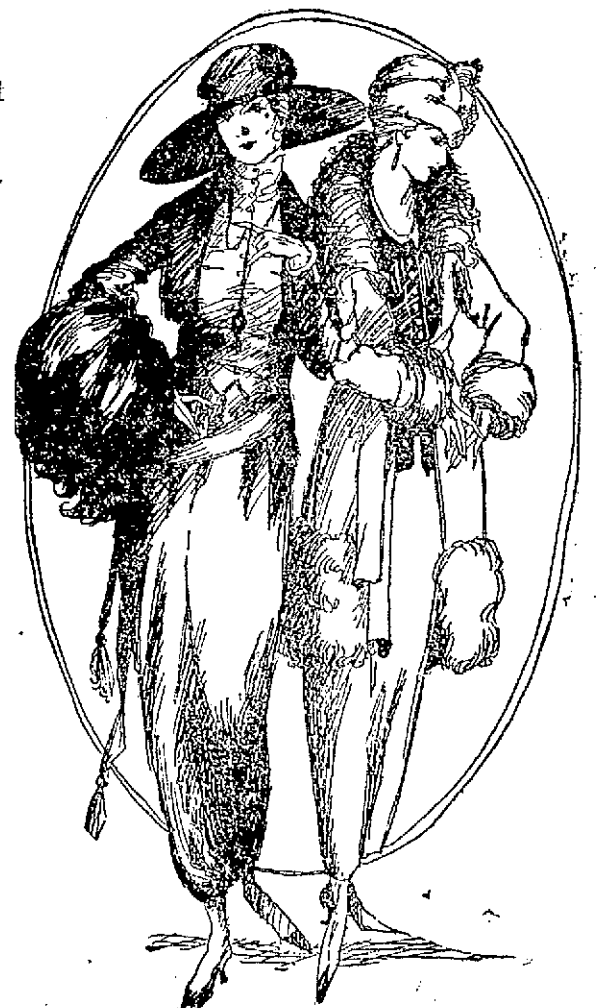
—Colors are the very newest, such as: Delphine, Algerian, Henna, Pekin, Plum, Bison, Green, Reindeer, Taupe, Brown, Burgundy, Black and the ever popular Navy.

—All sizes from 14 to 44.

—Examine them as to workmanship. Note the Satin and Peau de Cygne linings; the hand tailoring. Above all, note the quality of the material, and the low first prices. Compare them with suits that are priced elsewhere at 20 per cent. more than our regular prices. Then see what you can save during this sale while these special prices are in effect.

—Don't hesitate. Decide right now, while you can make a substantial saving, to buy that new Fall suit.

—Sale starts tomorrow. See our Merrimack street windows for the suits.



Sale Starts Friday! Be Here!

We will place on sale

Friday Morning

the extraordinary purchase of entire manufacturer's surplus stock of

GIRLS' FINE BATES
GINGHAM, POPLIN,
CHAMBRAYS, LIN-
ON

Dresses

Heavy weight materials for school and all in-door occasions. Colorings and trimmings in the prettiest combinations of yellow, green, brown and dark plaids. All are made with large flare pockets, novelty trimmed collars and cuffs. New models in bolero, cadet and high waisted effects. Sizes 6 to 14. Made to sell for 3.98 and 4.98—At

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THEY WANT THE OFFICES

Chairman Hays of the republican national committee is making a very strenuous, albeit disguised, effort to convince the country that a republican congress is greatly needed to give President Wilson's war administration effective support.

In support of his contention, he resorts to the old and utterly discredited claim that the republican party alone is competent to guide the country and we people safely along the paths that lead to prosperity. So far as support in the war policies is concerned, the president has been seriously handicapped in many cases by open and unjustifiable opposition from the republican side. He has been accused of political motives in some of his most important steps in the prosecution of the war. Even in his attitude on the woman suffrage question, the republican press has sent up a howl that the real motive behind the president's open advocacy of the change, is purely political and that it is in no sense a war measure. That is an indication of the scope of these hungry politicians. They do not understand the president or else they do not want to be honest with him.

Among the worst offenders in this line are Senator Sherman, ex-Senator Mason, now representative, and Representative Rodenburg, all of Illinois.

What is the record of these men on the war? Sherman voted against the Shipping Board bill, the Espionage act, the Food Control bill, the War Finance Corporation and the Armistice measure. Mason voted against the War resolution, the Selective Service act, the Espionage act, the Railroad Control act and the War Finance corporation. Rodenburg voted against the War resolution, the last great War Revenue bill and for the Cooper amendment to nullify the effect of the armed neutrality measure.

None of the wilful senators denounced by President Wilson showed more pronounced pro-German sentiment than did these men by their votes on the various war measures.

"I am against this war because we have had no just provocation under international law for going into the war," was the declaration made by Mr. Mason, in April, 1917. He has been busy in recent months explaining that the country should not hold that error of judgment against him. But if his conduct, his speeches and his votes on other war measures, had indicated either loyalty or real Americanism, his anti-war vote would have been forgotten. Still he follows the policy of Rodenburg and Sherman, in attacking the administration on some of its most important and unassailable policies.

Senator Sherman has shown no sign of regret for his anti-war attitude and in fact as the war proceeds, he seems to become more fanatical in his attacks upon the administration. Nothing seems to stir Sherman so much as actual progress in war legislation and war administration. His latest outbreak has been against the Federal Trade commission because of its recommendation that the government should control the meat supply. In his attacks upon the commission he seemed to be the chosen defender of the Chicago packers and in his tirade, he descended to invective and denunciation that no decent lawyer would be guilty of using.

Although the commission is made up of able and honorable men selected for their capacity to handle large affairs, Sherman attacked them in the most unwarranted manner, dealing with each personally and winding up with this statement: "There isn't one of them," referring to the federal trade commissioners, "who isn't a radical, a bolshevik, an economic fire brand. They're younger brothers of the I.W.W., all of them."

In the opinion of Chairman Hays a few more republicans of this type in congress would do the administration a great deal of good in the prosecution of the war and in arranging for the reconstruction period to follow the war. It seems to be the favorite policy of Chairman Hays to convince the country, so far as that may be possible, that should the war terminate with unexpected suddenness, the democratic party would be wholly incapable of dealing with the large business problems that would then come up for solution. Their cry at the opening of the war was somewhat similar. They had no confidence in President Wilson nor the democrats in congress. They wanted a super-cabinet board appointed to supervise the expenditures and the management of the war. President Wilson was to be a mere tool in the hands of this august body, which was to direct him and a cabinet as to what should be done, and what not done for the advancement of the war. Fortunately, as it would appear, President Wilson plainly informed these gentlemen that the duties they would have been placed in his hands by constitutional authority, and he was going to exercise the power thus vested in him without the aid of this directing body.

The record of achievement since the declaration of war by this country, has astonished the world, and has already placed the United States in a position of commanding power such as no citizen ever thought it could attain in such a brief space of time. That shows whether the democratic administration is capable of doing things.

The republican critics of the admini-

stration thus completely silenced, are now turning their faces to the period of reconstruction in their effort to induce the people to elect a republican congress. But the war is not yet over and even if it were, the party that so successfully conducted the war will undoubtedly be able to deal with the problems of peace more effectively than will the republican party, which comes before the people without an issue and without anything to appeal to the voters that is not either a distortion of the truth or a complete fabrication. With the money question settled and the tariff in the hands of a competent commission, the republican ship is stranded when it comes to a question of why they should be returned to power. The only reason they can give, if they will be candid enough to tell the truth, is, that they want the offices. That is the sum and substance of their political platform in the present campaign.

FIGHTING INFLUENZA

These are certainly very serious times so far as the public health is concerned. There is no record of any epidemic in this country so fatal as the present influenza scourge. The casualties fatal and otherwise at the battlefronts are trifling compared to the frightful list of victims of the epidemic now raging in the eastern states. The military camps suffer very severely, the number of deaths being quite alarming. What Camp Devens has gone through most of the other camps are now experiencing. The government is providing more effective methods of treatment than were possible when the epidemic first appeared. Happily the disease is subsiding at Camp Devens and it is hoped this marks its early disappearance.

While the epidemic may be on the wane it is still with us and hence it behooves every individual, every factory and every household to adopt all the most scientific preventive measures. Most of the local factories are freely using strong disinfectants and some are turning out their employees into the open air for half an hour in the forenoon and again in the afternoon on the assumption that fresh air and sunshine are among the best disinfectants.

It would be well if the street railway company would use disinfectants in its cars at least once a day. Some of the cars that run to the various factories and in which the passengers are crowded almost to suffocation, should be well ventilated and sprinkled with disinfectants at least twice a day; but unless this is ordered by the health board it will not be done.

Medical authorities are doing all in their power to check the epidemic, but beyond the ordinary precautions mentioned, they have thus far failed to find any specific. Dr. Leary, bacteriologist of Tufts college, however, announces the discovery of a serum which the Washington authorities regard as likely to prove effective in the treatment of the disease. They have determined to give it a scientific test, and already it is claimed that good results have been obtained from its use.

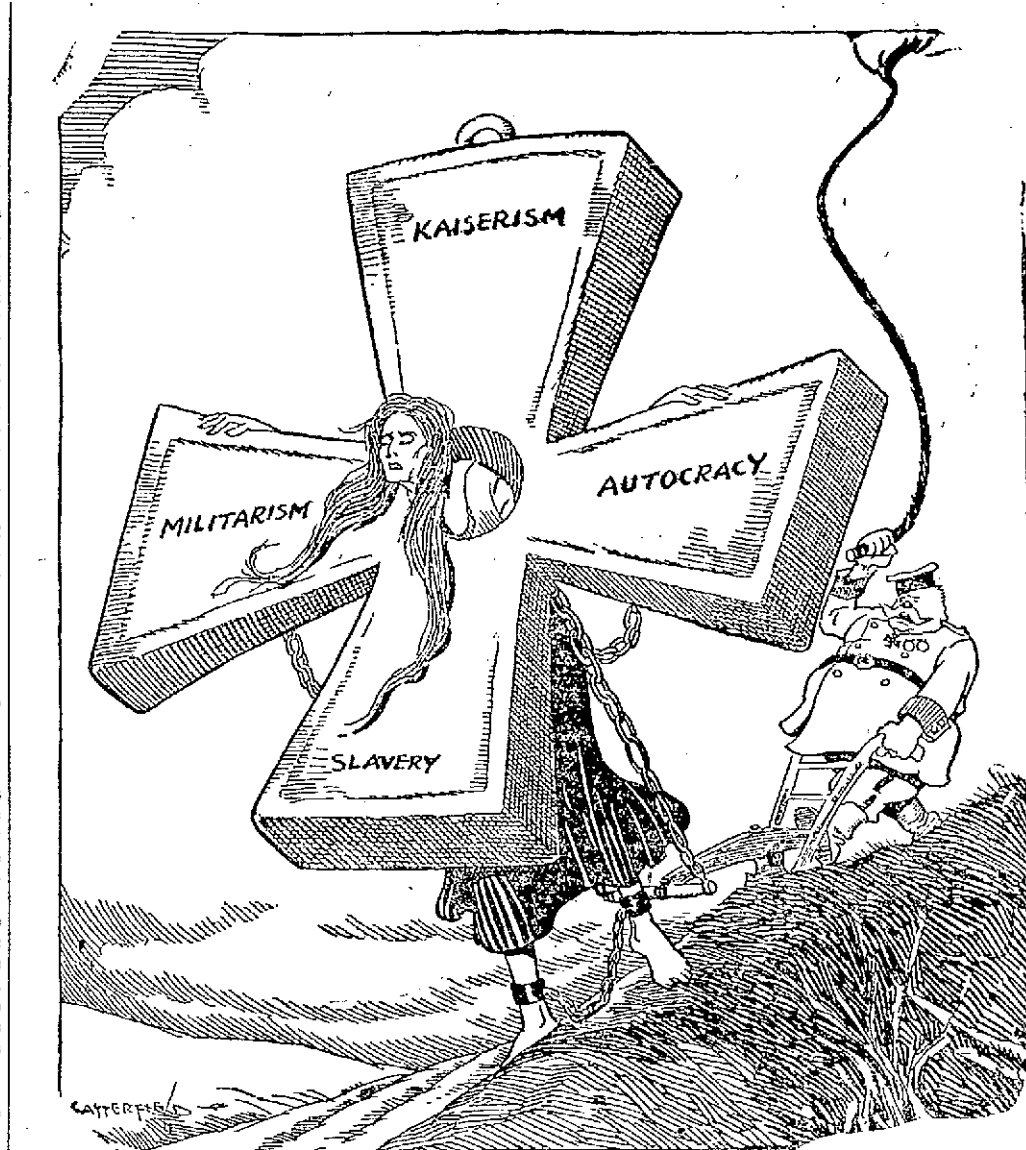
Henry B. Endicott, chairman of the emergency health committee of Boston, is very active in sending out anti-grippe supplies to state boards wherever needed. One of these is the anti-grippe mask worn by nurses as a protection against infection.

So many doctors and nurses have fallen victims of this disease, that the medical profession regards it as one of the most dangerous and insidious with which they have to deal. While public bodies are doing their part as best they can, their efforts will be largely in vain unless every individual man and woman in the community co-operates with them as far as possible in self protection. Let everybody adopt the preventive measures recommended, and each look out, first of all for his or her own health, and in this way the health of all will be best protected.

It is noticeable that a very large proportion of the victims of the influenza are foreigners, people who cannot read the papers and who are not reached by the instructions issued by the health authorities. Here is another important reason why all foreigners should be compelled to use the English language. In the present instance, not only are they themselves the victims, but they become a menace to the rest of the community by their failure to adopt the ordinary precautions against the spread of the disease.

So Emperor Wilhelm's soldiers promised him, "We will never let Frenchmen or Americans through here" when he visited the Alsace-Lorraine front recently. And then the promise had to be broken. But don't you lose any sleep over that, you Hun soldiers. The emperor has proclaimed himself a senior partner of Providence for some time but none of you ever saw his wings, did you? He will be convicted as a partner of Satan before this war is over.

Living here in Lowell and sticking to the job dutifully, we Lowell citizens miss a number of things we are sorry we have to miss. Among them for instance was undoubtedly not being present in front of the treasury building at Washington last Saturday noon when Geraldine Farrar, the opera and movie queen, took position on the steps of the building and, assisted by



THE IRON CROSS OF HUNISM

the United States Marine band, sang the Star Spangled Banner to open the Liberty loan campaign. The best in band music coupled with the best in opera singing.

The Housing corporation recently told the house committee of Public Buildings and Grounds that shortly it was to ask congress for another appropriation of \$194,000,000 to start and carry on more housing projects at munition and shipbuilding centers. In New England at the present time building projects of this corporation are well under way at Bath, Me., and Quincy, Mass. Here in Lowell, as regards the project at Belvidere, we have been told work would start in a short time and with an unprecedented rush. Well, there has been plenty of time to get going so that the community expects it to start with nothing less than a rush.

Congressman Morgan of Oklahoma has introduced a bill in the house to create a "Soldiers' and Seamen's Federal Home Founding Commission," which is to be a federal corporation with a capital of \$50,000,000 loaned it by the United States government. It would loan money to soldiers and seamen of the United States service with which to acquire homes in cities or the country. Loans are to run for a 60-year period on the amortization plan, at 3 per cent interest and the amount of the loan may equal from 70 to 80 per cent of the value of the homestead purchased, including improvements. The bill stands a fair chance of becoming law.

One of the most inspiring things read recently in the papers was the account of the induction of the Bowdoin college boys into the Student Army Training Corps at which ceremony President Sills of Bowdoin said to his boys, "We are willing to turn our punting hooks into swords, our colleges into military academies, so that the war may be won. The faster the Germans run toward the Rhine the more troops we dispatch across the ocean." Truly a strong and militant voice coming from the cloisters of the famous old Maine college.

Let's congratulate the state of Connecticut and one of the Connecticut towns, Suffield. The state's fiscal year ended Wednesday and for the first time in years, the state is out of debt. Much credit goes to Gov. Marcus M. Holcomb. When he entered office in 1914, the state had a debt of \$11,920,000. Martin J. Sheldon of Suffield, failed to declare his holdings for the investment tax. His estate had to pay a penalty of \$104,199. Four fifths of this sum goes to Suffield and is sufficient not only to pay off all indebtedness of Suffield but to pay the town's running expenses for quite awhile.

Staggering through an attack of the grippe, if you live in Clinton, has other discomforts apparently, besides the ever present feeling that "the old ship is breaking up." The health board over there in Clinton has ruled that the town's barbers must not go to homes where there are sick men suffering from grippe for the purpose of shaving them. Whiskers and grippe! Worse and more of it!

Don't forget this. You should not regard failure to receive your questionnaire as a bit of good luck, granted that your ideas are of the "safety first for myself" kind rather than, "hit the Hun." The government will not assume that it plays tag with you and failure to receive your questionnaire will not rule you out of the war campaign. The responsibility for revealing the questionnaire together with seeing

that it is filled out, is wholly up to the registrant. If the mail service should fail to be able to deliver the questionnaire, it is up to the registrant to go honorably to his district board and ask for this important document.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Three Lowell merchants have used one particular idea in regard to having a Liberty loan window at their store, which has enabled them to produce remarkably fine effects. I have in mind the A. G. Pollard Co., the Chaffee store and the Nelson department store on Central street. Each of these stores has a tasty array of Liberty loan posters and souvenirs of the Huns, sent to Lowell by some of her fighters overseas. But the feature that causes the most comment and attracts the most attention is the presence in the windows of numerous pictures of Lowell boys who are either overseas or are now in military camps in this country undergoing training preparatory to getting into the big game. There must be several hundred of these pictures in the three windows mentioned and to my mind they form the most attractive Liberty loan feature for store window decoration I have seen. In addition, each person who looks at them has the best argument possible presented to him as to why he should "kick in" and buy his bond.

Letter for Mr. James Prokos
Dear Jim,
I learn from the papers that you are now returned to our midst from your professional tour as wrestler. One account says you not only threw all comers from among the patrons of the show you were with, but you threw a bull. I have no doubt you could throw a bull as easy as you could all comers for they say you are some husky fellow as regards strength, James.

I understand that at the present time Jim, you are quoted as being "out to create a row of coal" in your cellar. That is sure a praiseworthy ambition and I hope you can get a strange hold on some coal. I can't.

I have written you this letter to place a suggestion before you. One of the things that hinders a more prompt delivery of coal here in Lowell, Jim, is the lack of man power to unload coal cars and drive teams. I intend to put right up to you in this letter, Prokos that I wish you would put your husky services at the disposal of one or more coal dealers here for a week, or a longer time. If you could spare it from professional work, I expect a man of your build could shovel about four times as much coal as the average shoveler. There is no reason why you shouldn't get about \$10 a day for eight hours, Jim, if you will consider that and tell me what you will do it. I will be willing to use some of my time hunting a shovelling engagement for you. Moreover I promise to furnish you refreshment and smoke the first day you work. Please let me hear from you, Jim, in care of this office.

Yours for the Fighting Fourth,
THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.
An amusing incident in regard to the anti-expectorating ruling was related to me by a local police officer. It seems that while on duty in the downtown section today he was approached by a middle aged lady who stated that a man on the next corner had just expectorated on the sidewalk, and urged the officer to go and "lick him up." The pair walked over to the corner, but the lady was unable to see any trace of the offender. "I guess I wasn't cut out for a detective," she sighed. "I should have held him until you came over here, shouldn't I?" And the officer agreed that probably that would be the best course to pursue in the future.

As well as the "toilet waters" and "massage" stuff. Formerly, one of my friends among the barbers tells me, when a young man came to be shaved and have his hair cut, he was usually a promising victim from whom 80 cents or a dollar could be collected ere he departed the shop. The common run of customers now, if they are of the hair shaver class, pay 25 cents for a haircut, scorn the "extras" and depart the shop amidst some scorn on the part of the barbers but with their money intact in their pockets.

I notice most of the theatres advertise they will open up again next Monday. Their conclusion probably is, that when the schools open, as it is announced they will next Monday, the theatres can expect to open also. If we have fair weather Friday, Saturday and Sunday, I see no reason why the playhouses should not open. The Lowell managers closed their places voluntarily and with good grace. The Boston managers grumbled a great deal about closing, I understand, and put up quite an argument against it, taking the stand that the Elevated trains ought not to be allowed to run and that they ought to be allowed to keep their theatres open as long as the L trains were allowed to run. A peculiar argument truly.

From what I read in the paper yesterday, that police officer who was called to straighten out a fuss in a Central street lunch room in which an intoxicated man broke some glass in a door and was the means of the waitress, who happened to be alone in the place at the time, cutting her hand, had rather a trying time. The officer evidently tried to apply some reasoning power to the drunk's case. When that officer has been in the business longer than he has now, he will recognize the fact that when rum comes in reason departs and it is true of pretty nearly every drunken man. The officer first allowed the drunk to patch up his damage he had done to the restaurant and the waitress by paying \$3. Then, as the drunk became more abusive, the \$3 was returned to him by the officer who placed him under arrest, and had him taken to the station. There are times when the officers have some trying and exasperating experiences.

A real estate man in Biddeford, in an advertisement in a local daily, is still bidding for the patronage of those "planning to spend their summer vacation at the beach."

A Stubborn Cough Loosens Right Up

This home-made remedy is a wonder for quick results. Easily and cheaply made.

Here is a home-made syrup which millions of people have found to be the most dependable means of breaking up stubborn coughs. It is cheap and simple, but very prompt in action. Under its healing, soothing influence, chest soreness goes, phlegm loosens, breathing becomes easier, tickling a throat stops and you get a good night's restful sleep. The usual throat and chest colds are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, hoarseness, croup, whooping cough, bronchial asthma or winter coughs.

JEWELS VALUED AT \$150,000 STOLEN

PITTSFIELD, Oct. 2.—Second-story workers entered the country residence of Mrs. John Stuart McLennan at Ashluttly farm, in Tyringham, early Tuesday morning, and carried away jewelry and money aggregating \$150,000 in value. The plunder included Mrs. McLennan's pearls, diamond pendant and diamond jewelry.

Entrance was effected through a window on the second floor. A window leading into Mrs. McLennan's dressing room was pried open. The robbery was not discovered until morning.

At the request of New York detectives who are in the Berkshires investigating recent robberies, no statement as to the number and description of the articles stolen can be had.

The burglary at Ashluttly farm is the third of the kind within a month. The house of Mr. and Mrs. J. Appleton Wade in Stockbridge was entered and \$10,000 in jewels and money was stolen. This was followed by a similar burglary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Blagden, on the Lenox road, in Stockbridge, where \$5000 worth of jewelry was obtained.

Portable trenches is the name given to portable bullet-proof shields used in the Italian army. They can be quickly formed into a form of movable breastwork, behind which infantry can advance with comparative safety.

RHEUMATIC KNOCKERS NOW BOOSTERS

All Loud in Praise of "Neutrone Prescription 99"

They all say "It does beat the Dutch" how quick "Neutrone Prescription 99" got rid of their Rheumatism. It's almost magic. "Neutrone Prescription 99" gets all forms of Rheumatism every time as sure as the sun rises. The first few doses show results. Those horrible Rheumatic pains stop, those poor inflamed joints go down, and oh! what a blessed relief. Ever try anything like that? Well, it's true. There's no more fiery, vile smelling liniments, just a good clean internal remedy that purifies the blood, drives all impurities out of the system—makes you feel like new, like doing things. Don't delay, get a bottle today and your troubles are over. 50c and \$1.00.

Fred Howard's Drug Store, 199 Central street, and Lowell Pharmacy, 682 Merrimack street, and leading druggists everywhere.

WEEPING ECZEMA SOON RELIEVED

A Perfect Treatment For This Distressing Complaint

"I had an attack of Weeping Eczema; so bad that my clothes would be wet through at times. I suffered terribly. I could get no relief until I tried 'Fruit-a-tives' (or Fruit Liver Tablets) and 'Sootha Salva'. The first treatment gave me relief. Altogether, I have used three boxes of 'Sootha Salva' and two of 'Fruit-a-tives', and am entirely well!"

G. W. HALL.
Both these remedies are sold by dealers at 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, or sent by FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited, OGDENSBURG, N.Y.

"Fruit-a-tives" is also put up in a trial size which sells for 25c.

WILL NOT GO TO FRANCE

Sec. Baker Rules Against Mass. Commission Going Over to Get Soldiers' Vote

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—The special ballot commission authorized yesterday by Gov. McCall and the executive council to go to France to receive the votes of Massachusetts soldiers on election day, Nov. 5, has been informed that Secretary of War Baker will not permit them to make the trip. Similar action was taken by the federal government in the case of a like New York commission.

Albert P. Langtry, secretary of state, Lewis R. Sullivan, councillor, and Chas. S. Baxter of Medford had been named as the special ballot commission.

Secretary Langtry was in Washington for the purpose of making arrangements for the journey to France. He wired to the governor's office late in the afternoon saying: "Secretary of war says no one will be allowed to go to France."

MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB

Opening of Club postponed until Monday, October 21st.

BACK BRAVE BOYS BY BUYING BONDS



Bring Your Boy Here for Everything He Wears

YOU CAN FIT OUT THE BOY COMPLETE WITH CLOTHING, UNDERWEAR, FURNISHING GOODS, CAPS, SHIRTS AND SHOES.

YOU WILL BE COURTEOUSLY SERVED BY POLITE ATTENDANTS.

New and Natty Junior Norfolk Suits for Fall—For boys, 3 years to 9, in blue, brown and mode corduroys, blue and green serges, velvets and neat Shepherd checks. Many of these with separate white pique collars and cuffs. These new dainty Juvenile suits.....\$5.00 to \$18.00

Boys' All Wool Knicker Suits—For Fall and Winter, strictly all wool fabrics, seams silk sewn, designing and tailoring by experts make these the best suits for well-dressed schoolboys. Sizes 7 to 18 years\$15.00, \$18.00, \$23.00

Boys' Mackinaws—Favorites with every boy who enjoys freedom at play.....\$5.00 to \$8.00

BOYS' FURNISHINGS

Sizes 7 to 18 Years

Boys' Shirts75c to \$1.25
Boys' Gray and Khaki Flannel Shirts. Special price \$1
Boys' Sweaters.....\$2.50 to \$7.00
Boys' Neckwear.....25c and 39c
Boys' Caps—Fancy Cheviots and Homespun, 65c, 85c and \$1.25

School Stockings—Black cotton. Sizes 6 1-2 to 11, 25c to 60c

Boys' Shoes—Gun Metal Calf Shoes—Little Gents' High Shoes, sizes 9 to 13 1-2.....\$1.50
1 to 5 1-2.....\$2.00

Little Boys' Army Shoes—Good solid leather, sizes 1 to 5 1-2.....\$4.50

Boys' Scout Shoes—The best shoe for school wear\$2.00 to \$4.00

PUTNAM & SON COMPANY
166 CENTRAL ST.

Letters From Lowell Soldiers

George Grady of Gorham street has received the following letter from Private Jack O'Day of Co. B, 101st Military Police, now in France. Evidently Jack has been wounded because the letter was written in the base hospital. It is dated Aug. 24, and reads in part as follows:

Dear George: Just a line hoping to find you and all the rest of the bunch O.K. I myself am feeling fine just now and I expect to leave here any day. I have not heard from you for a long time, so you better get going and write a fellow a line or two.

Well, we are sure doing good work these days, and if it keeps going this way we will soon land in Berlin. I know the battle ground where they are fighting now, because I was there last year and I can follow it up very well. But to be sure, old pal, I wish it were over for I have had a hell of a war I want more than I want. In the last battle I thought I was done for many times, but I was wounded only slightly so I should worry. Well, drop a line and let me know how everybody is. Tell the boys I was asking for them. Good luck for now.

JACK.

News From Camp Devens

INFLUENZA SITUATION IMPROVES AT DEVENS—AIRPLANE RADIO WORK A SUCCESS

CAMP DEVENS, Oct. 3.—Over in the trenches on the combat ranges at Still River the wireless was buzzing away yesterday. Messages concerning the disposition of the enemy forces, his guns, etc., were being received at the headquarters trench. It was the first chance the officers of the staff school have had to observe the work of any airplane in supplying information.

Both the airplanes which have been the star attractions in camp since their arrival two days ago were supposed to help in the study of liaison problems, which were taken up in the school yesterday morning. The airplane which was to have taken photographs of the enemy trenches did not go up, but the other came into play with its wireless apparatus and gave a convincing exhibition.

Maj. Gen. Henry P. McCain and his staff will review the 12th Division Saturday morning on the main parade field. This is the second time the division has been inspected and the officers look for a very decided improvement. In spite of the gripple epidemic

the men have been making rapid progress the last few weeks.

Maj. Percival Dove, division ordnance officer, returned yesterday from Washington, where he has been attending a staff school.

The bomb and grenade fields, the rifle range and drill ground were busy places yesterday. Maj. Gen. McCain was out watching the work.

An investigation is being conducted by Lieut. Col. Shaw, division inspector, into the case of Private Horace D. Stringer, Co. I, 73d Infantry. Stringer died of gripple several days ago and his body was supposed to have been sent to his home in Plymouth for burial. It is reported that the body of another influenza victim, Howard Steinger, was shipped by mistake. Soldiers who knew Stringer have been sent to Plymouth to see the body.

The epidemic situation continues to improve. The number of deaths was only 30 for the last 24 hours. Patients are rapidly being discharged as cured. The following New Englanders died Monday:

William Fahey, Marlboro; William H. Conley, Pittsfield; Samuel R. Daunt, Barre; Andrew Ladle, Lee; Adolard Colard, Shirley; William Stone, Ludlow; Charles A. G. Franzen, Quincy; Olaf H. Olsen, Cambridge; Charles E. Hunt, Melrose; John J. Trainor, Lowell; Fred J. Schweitzer, Rockville, Ct.; Arthur Byers, Danforth, Me.; George E. Dion, Franklin, N. H.; Leroy A. Horns, East Wilton, Me.; Otto F. Bulick, Lisbon Falls, Me.; Clyde Brockett, Belfast, Me.; Carroll R. Wadleigh, Windsor, Vt.

BRIG. GENERAL SWEETSER GOING ACROSS

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—Governor McCall yesterday sent a telegram of congratulation to Brigadier General E. Leroy Sweetser, who has been transferred from Camp Wadsworth, N. C. to Camp Sevier, S. C., preparatory to going overseas. The governor's message read:

"Very greatly pleased to learn of your transfer, which apparently indicates your early departure for overseas service, for which you are so admirably fitted. It is significant that you are leaving from the vicinity of the camp which was for a time your headquarters during the Spanish war and where you gave distinguished service. You richly deserve the opportunity that is now being given you. My best wishes and those of the Commonwealth go with you. We shall look eagerly for reports of your progress overseas."

TWO NEW ENGLAND MEN DECORATED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—General Pershing yesterday reported the award of the distinguished service crosses to 22 officers and enlisted men of the American expeditionary forces for extraordinary heroism in action. Those from New England are Lieutenant Harry S. Wheat of North Cambridge, Mass., and Lieutenant Chandler Sprague of Haverhill, Mass.

CAMPAIGN TO VOTE "NO"

Negative Vote Urged On All Amendments Submitted by Constitutional Convention

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Oct. 3.—The first step in a campaign to urge citizens to vote "No" at the state election on all the proposed amendments of the constitution submitted by the constitutional convention was taken this noon, at a meeting of the Massachusetts club at Young's hotel.

Raymond L. Bridgman of Newton, who has been a legislative reporter for more than 30 years, and who was the official reporter of the convention, addressed the club and advanced the following reasons for a negative vote:

"The constitution demands thoughtful consideration, but this is impossible this year. Inquiry of many voters seems to prove that the average voter knows little or nothing of the amendments, and that men familiar with public affairs can name only four or five of them. It is impossible to give the voters adequate information about the whole. The official pamphlet printed by order of the convention has no presentation of facts or argument as basis of judgment. It contains arguments for some of the contested amendments, but nothing on the other side, a fact resented by many of those who have learned of it. The universal popular ignorance is sufficient reason for refusing to ratify any amendment, since it will be impossible to obtain an intelligent vote.

"Voters have been absorbed in the war and have not thought about the constitution. Newspapers, with only three material exceptions, have largely ignored the convention.

"Many voters are fighting for democracy abroad, or are in our camps, and cannot vote. Only yesterday the war department ruled that they will not be allowed to vote. Action ought not to be taken in their absence, for they will be foremost in public affairs after their return.

"Epidemic now fills our people with anxiety and stops all public meetings where the amendments might be discussed. Nothing should be put into the

constitution at a time when the people can give so little time to constitutional principles.

"Voters are justified in rejecting the judgment of the convention. It was truly stated by one of its leading members that it was not a constitutional, but a political convention, not meaning a partisan one, but a body influenced by collisions of political forces, not elected for impartial discussion of constitutional principles.

"One of the highest officials of the state, whose opinion would be accepted by many voters as final, has said privately that the convention was inferior to the average legislature, that its distinguished members did not meet public expectation, and that if the pro-

ple had realized the way the convention was doing business they would have sent it home in disgrace.

"The convention neglected its duties shamelessly. Points or order of lack of quorum were frequently sustained and business was forced to stop until a quorum could be obtained. It was the common practice that sessions were delayed ten minutes or more because of lack of attendance, both morning and afternoon. Many roll-calls were decided by members who heard little or none of the debate, but came in only when the bell rang indicating that the roll was to be called. Important questions were thus ignorantly decided.

"In the later weeks the convention was appreciably demoralized and unfit for debate by its desire to get through and draw its pay. The previous question was often used and was popular for shutting off debate when members did not wish to listen and were impatient to vote.

"Absenteeism was rampant and notorious in the case of many delegates. The moral quality of the convention

"Spanish" Influenza!

Some facts about it and how to prevent its spread

SPANISH" INFLUENZA is a serious matter, and something of a mystery. It probably originated in the ranks of the German Army and in prison camps. It no doubt spread from there southward through Spain and northward into Holland, France, England and the Scandinavian countries. America was free from it until August 12th, when a Norwegian steamer arrived at an Atlantic port, having had over 200 cases on the voyage. Whether this marks the entry of the epidemic or not, the fact remains that "Spanish" Influenza is here and is a serious menace, much like the familiar Gripple.

The disease is not alarming in itself if proper precautions are taken. But without care, the high fever and the likelihood of pneumonia to follow make it extremely dangerous. The Surgeon-General of the Army recently issued the following rules by which the public may guard against the spread of this subtle enemy:

Rules to Avoid Respiratory Diseases
(By the Surgeon General of the U. S. Army)

1. Avoid needless crowding—influenza is a crowd disease.
2. Smother your cough and sneezes—others do not want the germs which you would throw away.
3. Your nose, not your mouth, was made to breathe through—get the habit.
4. Remember the three C's—a clean mouth, clean skin, and clean clothes.
5. Try to keep cool when you walk and warm when you ride and sleep.
6. Open the windows—always at home at night; at the office when practicable.
7. Food will win the war if you give it a chance—help by choosing and chewing your food well.
8. Your fate may be in your own hands—wash your hands before eating.
9. Don't let the waste products of digestion accumulate—drink a glass or two of water on getting up.
10. Don't use a napkin, towel, spoon, fork, glass, or cup which has been used by another person and not washed.
11. Avoid tight clothes, tight shoes, tight gloves—seek to make nature your ally not your prisoner.
12. When the air is pure breathe all of it you can—breathe deeply.

Remember the Three C's
which are given in these rulesClean
Mouths

Not simply the usual matter-of-fact brushing of the teeth, but thorough cleanliness. Gargle the throat with warm water and salt, or a little Colgate's Ribbon Dental Cream dissolved in water. Brush the teeth, gums, and tongue carefully morning, noon and night with Ribbon Dental Cream. It is not a cure-all—but it is a safe, sane, efficient dentifrice and will help prevent infection by keeping your mouth clean.

The present crisis emphasizes the good sense of a recent action by the National Dental Association who wrote to the War Industries Board as follows:

"In this day of recognition of the value of preventive medicine, it is accepted by dentistry, medicine, and boards of health, that a clean mouth is one of the essentials to prevent the carrying of contagious disease. To preserve a proper sanitary condition of the mouth, the use of a suitable brush and dentifrice is required."

See that your mouth is clean, Clean, CLEAN.

Clean
Skins

And that means more than your usual habit in these days of epidemic. A thorough bath once a day is the least you should take. Use warm water if possible, and plenty of soap. Colgate's Coleo Soap serves the purpose splendidly—a soap that is made entirely of vegetable oils. It lathers freely in hard or soft, hot or cold water and cleans thoroughly. If you haven't Coleo, until you can get it, use any good soap—and once again, use plenty of it. Soap costs less than medicine.

As a still further precaution place a little Eucalyptol Vaseline in each nostril, morning, noon, and night, and rub the bridge of the nose with it when you go to bed.

A clean body throws off infection better than one less clean—see that yours is super-clean.


School Principals, Teachers, and Employers of Labor may secure, on request, an enlarged copy of this Health Notice, for posting.
Address Colgate & Co., New York

Clean
Clothes

Not only neat, tidy and brushed—but CLEAN. Change your underwear as often as possible. It may mean more laundry bills for a while but it may be the means of preventing infection. Bee Soap does its work excellently. Have your outer garments brushed and aired thoroughly every day. Change them, too; wear old clothes if necessary so that the same suit, coat or dress is not worn every day. This is some trouble but it may prevent the carrying of the infection into your home or to other people.

And along with clean clothes, clean skins, clean mouths for yourself and your family, observe the other simple rules given above. Start practicing these rules before you begin to "feel back-achy," to sneeze, to cough, to feel generally run down. The ounce of prevention is still worth the pound of cure. But if you do suspect that the germ has got into you, do not rely on these measures. Go to bed at once, and call your Doctor to avoid a bad fever and possible pneumonia.

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Dr. McNally extends to his many friends and former patients a cordial invitation to call.

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Evening Classes Open Oct. 7, 1918, at 7 O'Clock. Examinations and Registration Thursday Evenings, Sept. 26th and Oct. 3rd.

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This advertisement is endorsed and paid for by The Waterhead Mills as a part of their efforts to fight this war to a prompt and victorious conclusion.

NEWS: PRINT PRICE FIXED BY COURT

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Judges of the United States circuit court acting as arbitrators in the controversy between the newspaper manufacturers and the federal trade commission for the price of newspaper paper yesterday handed down a decision awarding a price of \$3.50 per 100 pounds for rolled news in carload lots, f.o.b. mill.

Back to Old Price

This restores the price current last spring which was reduced to \$3.10 by the federal trade commission. Under the arrangement with the manufacturers by which the federal trade commission fixed the price, it was agreed that if the manufacturers thought it was too low they could appeal to the circuit court of this district as arbitrators and that the attorney-general, acting as trustee of the people, could also appeal if he thought the price was too high. The manufacturers believed that the price fixed by the commission was too low.

The judges signing the award are Ward, Rogers, Hough and Manton. They hold that the maximum selling prices of newspaper for the manufacturers involved should be "based on an average of the reasonable capital investments, and fair manufacturing costs of the signatory parties." Two of the manufacturers are, however, excepted from this average, one of them producing little print paper and the value of the other not being known to the judges. They find that it now costs \$48 to manufacture one ton of paper in an average Canadian mill and that in the United States it costs \$5 more, "and the average cost for the eight manufacturers considered is more than \$50 a ton."

A fair annual return on capital investment is held as 15 per cent., requiring profit of \$19.75 per ton, which, added to "this average cost of manufacture," say \$50, would bring the maximum selling price to \$70 per ton. Prices for 100 pounds for the different kinds of paper are fixed by the judges on this basis.

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

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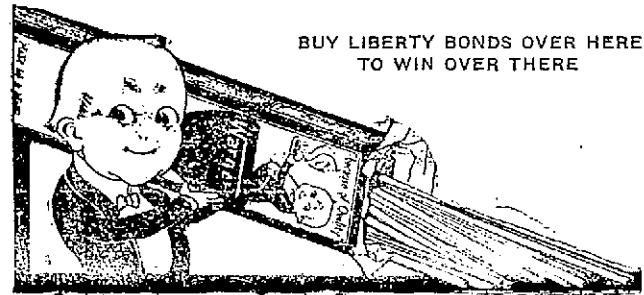
Warner's Macaroni is always the best and purest that can be made. Its yellow color is the gluten in the grain.

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mandant of the navy yard at Puget sound at the time of his retirement in 1910.

RETURNS TO SERVICE

Rear Admiral Rogers, 70, In Two Other Wars

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—Rear Admiral John A. Rogers, U.S.N., retired, 70 years old and with a notable record in two wars to his credit, returned to the navy for active service yesterday. He reported to Rear Admiral Spencer S. Wood, commanding the first naval district, and was assigned as commanding officer of the new naval unit at Harvard university. Since his retirement eight years ago, Rear Admiral Rogers has been farming at his country estate in Perryville, Md., but he said yesterday he could not remain out of service with a war going on. Rear Admiral Rogers had several commands during the Civil war and took part in the destruction of Admiral Cervera's squadron off Santiago in the Spanish-American war. He was com-

BIG INCREASE IN COST OF LIVING

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The cost of living in the Portland and Bath districts in the state of Maine jumped more than 60 per cent. since 1914, according to figures given out yesterday by government investigators. Since December, 1914, there was an increase of 62.35 per cent. in the cost of living in the Portland district and an increase of 68.02 per cent. in the Bath district. Since March, 1918, the cost advanced 20.15 per cent. in the Bath district and 20.91 per cent. in the Portland district.

Baltimore heads the high cost of living cities where investigation has been made. Philadelphia ranks second. In the Baltimore district the increase since December, 1914, was 80.15 per cent. and 24.62 per cent. since March, 1918. The increase in Philadelphia was 65.17 per cent. since 1914.

On 1-16 of an acre George F. Wixon of Sidney, Me., this year raised 93 bushels of large Pearl of Savoy potatoes, two bushels of seconds and two bushels of small ones. This is at the rate of 432 bushels an acre.

SAYS NEW ENGLAND WILL HAVE ENOUGH COAL

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Continuous operation of the war industries of New England is assured during the approaching winter unless an unforeseen catastrophe to the mines, the railroads or the coastwise shipping during October and November interrupts the production of coal and its transportation to that section in sufficient quantity to supply current requirements. This announcement was made yesterday afternoon by the fuel administration, which also counseled unrelenting vigilance in the conservation of coal as absolutely necessary.

The fuel administration adds: "If this conservation be observed not even a repetition of the unprecedented severity of last winter's weather will prevent the furnaces of New England from operating at full blast, from the present time until the return of moderate weather, next spring."

"The accumulation by New England during the past summer of sufficient coal to supply its minimum requirements during December, January and February, has been made possible by effective co-operation between the miners and federal bureaus."

"Transportation difficulties have controlled the policy of the fuel administration in providing the factories of New England with sufficient coal to insure them against a repetition of the conditions of last winter."

"It is common knowledge that the railroad facilities of New England are extremely limited and are wholly inadequate to meet the enormous demand upon them since the United States became a belligerent. It is known also that this fact necessitates the transportation by water of approximately 66 per cent of the bituminous coal consumed in that territory."

TO PURCHASE TOMATO OUTPUT OF MARYLAND

BALTIMORE, Oct. 3.—The federal government will spend \$16,000,000 in purchasing the tomato output in Maryland. While the price has not been finally agreed upon it is understood that the minimum will be \$1.90 per can of a dozen cans.

Negotiations have been pending for over a month between the federal government and the canners without arriving at a satisfactory conclusion.

CONTROL OF WIRE LINES

Government to Make No Distinction Between Non-Union and Union Help

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—In its operation of the telegraph and telephone system of the country, the post office department will make no distinction between non-union and union employees, according to an order from postmaster General Burleson received last night. Employment will be granted, the order states, solely on the fitness of the applicants.

The order also described as false "representations being made through the country" that the government desires employees of the companies to join the Commercial Telegraphers' union, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers or any other union.

GOMPERS RECEIVED BY KING ALBERT

HAVRE, Oct. 3.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was received yesterday by King Albert. Mr. Gompers visited the Belgian front during the day and expressed his admiration for the splendid morale and ardor of the Belgian troops.

PARISH GIFTS FOR REV. AND MRS. WEST

A reception was tendered Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Frank West of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church Thursday evening, Sept. 26. A large number of members and friends attended and the vestry, which was very prettily decorated with autumn foliage indicated the hearty welcome extended the pastor and wife. The young ladies connected with Mrs. Hilton's Sunday school class acted as the reception committee. Light refreshments were served and music was enjoyed, with Mrs. Lovett presiding at the victrola. A presentation speech was made by Senior Deacon Thorne when he presented Rev. Mr. West with a purse of gold as a token of love and esteem from the church people. Mrs. West

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A Word of Precaution.

JUST wherein lies the reason for the use of vegetable preparations for infants and children?

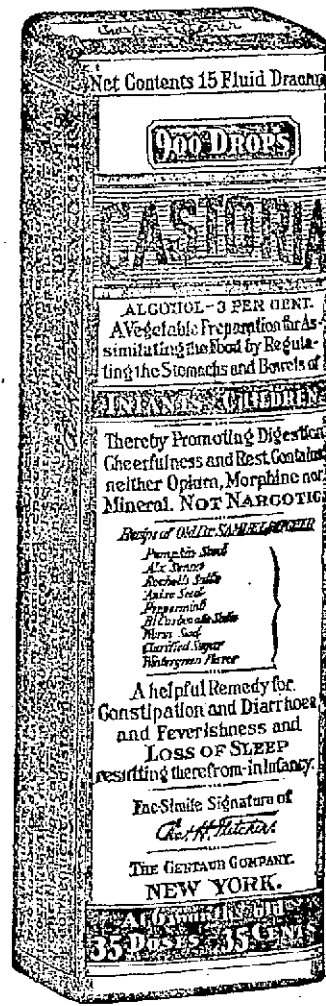
Why are any but vegetable preparations unsafe for infants and children?

Why are Syrups, Cordials and Drops condemned by all Physicians and most laymen?

Why has the Government placed a ban on all preparations containing, among other poisonous drugs, Opium in its variously prepared forms and pleasing tastes, and under its innumerable names?

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S. J. Briggs & Co., of Providence, R. I., say: "We have sold Fletcher's Castoria in our three stores for the past twenty years and consider it one of the best preparations on the market."

Mansur Drug Co., of St. Paul, Minn., says: "We are not in the habit of recommending proprietary medicines, but we never hesitate to say a good word for Castoria. It is a medical success."

Hegeman & Co., of New York City, N. Y., say: "We can say for your Castoria that it is one of the best selling preparations in our stores. That is conclusive evidence that it is satisfactory to the users."

W. H. Chapman, of Montreal, Que., says: "I have sold Fletcher's Castoria for many years and have yet to hear of one word other than praise of its virtues. I look upon your preparation as one of the few so called patent medicines having merit and unhesitatingly recommend it as a safe household remedy."

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The end of this sale is even more important than the beginning. It signals the termination of your opportunity to secure high grade merchandise at prices we believe cannot be repeated during the war.

The Pelletier stock is not shot to pieces. It was a tremendously big stock. It was complete in every detail, even including ease after ease of new goods in original unopened cases. It is true that some of the values are sold out. But the vast majority are here in good quantities at the original sale prices.

Don't be afraid that you will fail to find plenty of Pelletier's sale specials if you come before the store closes Monday evening. We originally expected to have a two or three weeks' sale. But the results are so far beyond our expectations that we must close the sale Monday evening.

MR. PELLETIER SOLD HIS STOCK TO CHALIFOUX'S WITHOUT ONE DOLLAR PROFIT TO HIMSELF.

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Put two and two together and you will understand why values are so remarkable at this event—

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was given a beautiful bouquet of flowers from the members of Mrs. Hilton's Sunday school class, Miss Doris England making the presentation speech.

LIQUOR IN DRY STATE

Dover Considering Sale to Grippe Patients on Doctor's Suggestion

DOVER, N. H., Oct. 3.—Authorization of the sale of liquor as a means of stopping the grippe epidemic is being considered by the city authorities, at the suggestion of doctors, who declare that as there are not enough doctors and nurses to attend all urgent cases, the temporary legalizing of the sale of intoxicants to those in the early stages of the disease would probably help. Mayor Smalley may call a special meeting of the city council to act on the matter.

Doctors say that pneumonia patients are increasing, but new cases of grippe are diminishing. Within the past 24 hours 10 deaths have been reported in the city from pneumonia.

POLICE COURT

Drunks and Non-Support Case Use Little Time

There were but five new offenders brought before Judge Enright at the local session of the police court this morning and their cases were disposed of in brief time. James W. Creighton, who admitted being drunk, was sentenced to two months in jail. Richard M. Steward, for the same offence, was continued until Saturday morning.

Joseph A. Barry was charged with a statutory offence and after denying his guilt, his case was continued until Oct. 14. Harold Charles, for a similar offence, had his case put over until tomorrow morning.

William J. Mooney was brought in on a complaint of non-support of his wife and minor children and he denied his guilt. After hearing the evidence, however, the court found otherwise and ordered the defendant committed to the common jail for a term of three months. An appeal was taken.

SISTERS OF CHARITY THANK CAMPAIGNERS

The Sisters of Charity, who are in charge of the French-American orphanage in Pawtucket street, wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to their benefactors, that is the residents of this city, who so readily responded in the recent \$50,000 campaign for the institution. The sisters are thankful to the workers who spared no time or efforts to make the campaign a successful one and in behalf of the little orphans they extend all heartfelt thanks.

DRAFT AND HARVEST POSTPONE COURTS

The opening of the civil session of the superior court which was scheduled to take place in this city next Monday, has been postponed for a week according to information received by local lawyers today.

There are three reasons given for the postponement of court, one on account of the influenza epidemic, another because the lawyers have been very busy helping registrants fill out their questionnaires and therefore have had no time to prepare their cases and the other, because of the fact that there are several farmers on the jury and they are now busy harvesting

their crops. It was also learned that the two other sessions of the superior court, which were scheduled to open in Cambridge next Monday have also been postponed and there is some talk to the effect that the civil sessions of the superior court may not open until the first Monday in November.

The inventor of the Bell telephone, Alexander Graham Bell, has another invention to his credit that very few know of; yet it is in constant use in France. It is called the "telephone probe," and absolutely locates the exact position of a bullet in the human body.



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26 KILLED AS TRAIN SMASHES INTO CROWD

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 26.—Twenty-six munition workers are dead and between 15 and 30 injured, four probably fatally, as the result of a north-bound Pennsylvania railroad passenger train crashing into a crowd of McNulty Interstate Foundry Co. workmen at Bedford, 10 miles south of here, early today.

Railroad officials say many of the workmen alighted from the local train before it stopped and in a heavy fog, stepped over on the north bound track when the passenger train struck them.

FUNERALS

RODGER—The funeral services of Andrew V. Rodger took place yesterday afternoon at the Elliot Congregational church, Rev. Herbert A. Barker, pastor, officiating. The Mendocino male quartet sang appropriate selections. Killwinning lodge of Masons was represented by Mayor Perry D. Thompson, Harry L. Parkhurst, Edward W. Dooley, Louis O. Hunt, William A. Lamson, Franklin E. Johnson and Clifford L. Hayes, who acted as bearers at the church and also as bearers. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Barker. The funeral was in charge of Charles L. Dyer of Haverhill and Clifford L. Hayes, under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

SOUSA—The funeral of Mrs. Manuel Sousa took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 9 Cherry street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

FINN—The funeral of Edward Finn took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 67 Liberty street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. Including a number from out of town. At St. Peter's church services were held. Rev. Daniel Heffernan officiating. The bearers were Bartholomew Toolan, Joseph Mullaney, John Hunt, Patrick Hayden, Thomas Davey and Timothy Meehan. At the grave in St. Patrick's cemetery Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I., read the committal prayers. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SLAIN—The funeral of Owen P. Slain took place yesterday from his home, 14 Adams avenue, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. At St. Columba's church a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Francis McNeill. The bearers were John Harrington, Edward McDermott, Jeremiah Minahan and John McCarthy. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Fr. McNeill read the committal prayers. Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons had charge.

O'HARE—The funeral of Patrick Joseph O'Hare took place yesterday from his home, 885 Middlesex street. At St. Patrick's church a funeral mass was sung by Rev. James Kerrigan. The bearers were Charles Woods, Albert Savageau, Thomas O'Hare and John O'Hare. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Fr. Kerrigan read the committal prayers. Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons had charge.

BROSNAN—The funeral of William Brosnan took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his niece, Mrs. Timothy Kennedy, 19 Bracon street.



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At St. Columba's church services were held, Rev. Francis McNeill officiating. The bearers were Patrick, William, Stephen and Private Cornelius Brosnan, the latter of the utility department, Camp Devens, all nephews of the deceased. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal services were read by Fr. McNeill. Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons had charge.

PREITAS—The funeral of Maria Freitas took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, John and Maria Freitas, 234 Appleton street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

SARDINIA—The funeral of Abe Sardinia took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, John and Maria Sardinia, 124 South street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church at 4 o'clock. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

DAVIS—The funeral services of Frederick O. Davis were held at the funeral chapel of Undertaker Herbert A. Simmons, 96 Branch street yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Elmer F. West, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church. Burial was in the Easton cemetery, where Rev. Mr. West read the committal services at the grave. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Herbert A. Simmons.

CRANDALL—The funeral of Charles S. Crandall was held from the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor of the First Primitive Methodist church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery.

LEBLANC—The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Leblanc took place yesterday from her home, 43 Alken avenue. At St. Louis church, a solemn funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. Eugene Vincent, assisted by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labossiere, as deacon and Rev. F. N. Gauthier as sub-deacon. The bearers were Joseph and Xavier Aubry, Etienne and Noel Champagne, Bartholomew Courtemanche and Felix Gervais. Burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Vincent read the committal prayers. Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

GRENIER—The funeral of Mrs. Maria Grenier took place yesterday from her home in Chelmsford Centre. At Notre Dame de Lourdes church, a funeral mass was sung by Rev. J. B. A. Barrette, O.M.I. The bearers were Honore Courtemanche, Joseph Filereux, Adolphe Dufault, Alfred and Henry Grenier and Louis Goyette. Burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I. The funeral arrangements were under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

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WILSON—The funeral services of George H. Wilson, who died at Greenfield, Mass., Sept. 29, were held yesterday afternoon at the grave in the Edson cemetery. Rev. Appleton Grannis, pastor of St. Anne's Episcopal church, officiated. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

TAYLOR—The funeral of Miss Mary A. Taylor took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her home, 46 Roberts street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Columba's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Francis McNeill. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass, the solo being given by Miss Frances Tighe. Miss Catherine Wiley presided at the organ. There was

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REYNOLDS—The funeral of Miss Catherine Reynolds took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her home, 634 Broadway, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Timothy Callahan, the choir under the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson rendering the Gregorian mass. Mrs. James Morris and Mr. Daniel S. O'Brien sustaining the solos. Mr. Michael J. Johnson presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes and of spiritual bouquets. The bearers were George Brennan, Dominick Molloy, John Thompson and Ruddy Cavanaugh. At the grave Rev. Fr. Callahan

read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LAPPIN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Lappin took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from her late home, 87 Elm street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 10.30 o'clock, services were held by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. The bearers were Mr. Arthur Flaherty, Joseph Duggan, John F. Roane, John McGauley, James Kelly and Bartholomew Mullin. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

FINN—The funeral of Josephine W. Finn, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Finn, took place this afternoon from the home of her parents, 93

Kinsman street, at 4 o'clock. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay.

McGLINCHEY—The funeral of Mrs.

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WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN THE ST. QUENTIN SECTOR, Wednesday, Oct. 2. (By the Associated Press.)—American regiments fighting in the Hindenburg line along this sector of the front have seen some of the hardest fighting of the war. It was a furious desperate struggle, into which they plunged. They fought day and night in groups and single-handed in and out of shell holes. They showed gallantry, self-sacrifice and devotion to duty unsurpassed by any other troops.

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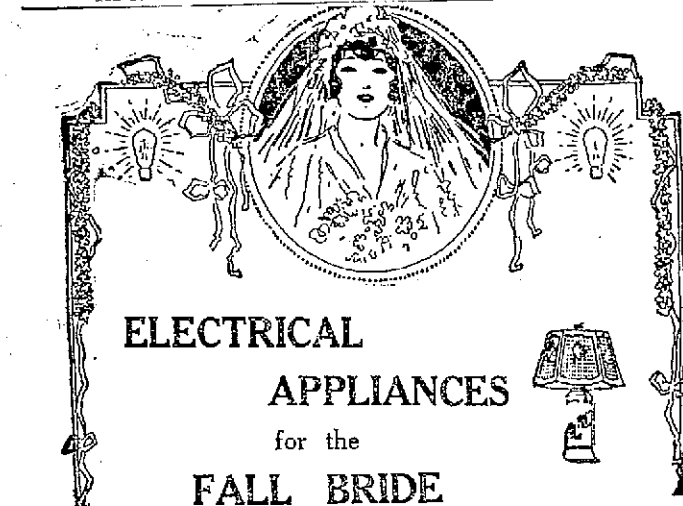
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YANKS WHIP FOE

American Guns Respond to Heavy Hun Attack Between Meuse and Aisne

Many Rough and Tumble Battles—Enormous Booty Taken by the Yanks

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY NORTHWEST OF VERDUN, Wednesday, Oct. 2. (By The Associated Press.)—Violent artillery firing developed along the center of the American line between the Meuse and the Aisne today. The Germans also bombarded the American positions on the right near the Meuse, to a limited extent, but on the extreme left, there was a significant silence for the greater part of the day.

Threaten to Cut Off Foe
Along this sector of the front the positions held by the Americans follow a zigzag line. The number of Germans near the Argonne forest is less than that fighting on the eastern side. General Gouraud's drive west of the forest, with the advance of the Americans to the east of it, threatens to cut off the enemy units still clinging to the wooded hills south of Grand Pré.

Heavy Enemy Fire
No general offensive was undertaken by the Americans today. All along the line fighting was restricted to patrol actions. It has been learned that the enemy expected a heavy attack today and to that fact is attributed his heavy artillery fire. This fire was particularly heavy, gas and high explosives and shrapnel shells being used. They were fired both from in front of the Americans and from across the Meuse. Not only were the forward positions bombarded, but many shells fell on Drillingcourt, Harcourt and the country between Jurewood and the river.

Forces Savagely Shelled
At times this fire took on the character of a barrage, but it was concentrated for the most part, on the fighting line. It was shifted during the day to the center of the line and later moved far to the right, forces being savagely shelled until counter battery work decreased the volume of fire. The American guns have responded with a vigorous fire which punished the slides using machine guns.

Smoke Bombs Dropped
Smoke bombs were dropped, indicating American positions to the enemy. One of the enemy machines was brought down by anti-aircraft guns, while pursuit planes accounted for others. One American aviator who was attacked by seven Fokkers fought his way out, bringing down one of the enemy machines.

Great Work by Airman
According to the calculations of one airman, it was shown that in the calendar year of 1918, all the pilots in the aviation section of the allied armies flew an aggregate of 121,000 miles. In September of this year, one squadron alone flew for an aggregate of 4719 hours over the lines and covered a total of 560,000 miles. This does not include numerous trial flights.

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If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderrine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.

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tired and wet, they displayed keen spirit all along the line. In every trench they were as full of energy and determination as on the first day of the battle. Engineer battalions have done good work on the roads. Commissary trains are moving forward steadily and rations are reaching the men in the most advanced positions.

Leather Coats for Yanks
Anticipating sharp fall weather, the staff ordered sleeveless leather coats issued to most of the men at the front. These coats are lined with felt and are worn over the uniform. They keep out the wind and turn the rain. They have proven to be one of the most popular articles of wear with the men.

Rough-and-Tumble Fighting
The spirit of the men in this battle is demonstrated by that shown by those in the Argonne forest. This is the last place in the battle area to dry out and is always gloomy in the depth of the wood. Fighting has gone on there with the same stubbornness which characterized the first day's effort. Machine gunners were left behind by the Germans to defend the main body and there has been some great rough-and-tumble fighting in the forest.

Van Booty Taken
Much booty has fallen into the hands of the Americans, including an electric power station at Varennes. It is estimated that it must have cost \$20,000 to equip this plant with water power. The Germans left so hurriedly that they did not damage the machinery and the Americans are using it. Americans are also utilizing miles of telephone wire and some central exchange material which had been left in position by the retreating enemy.

The latest summary of the material captured shows 120 guns of all calibers; 750 trench mortars; 300 machine guns; 100 anti-tank guns; thousands of shells and hundreds of thousands of rounds of small arm ammunition.

Americans Take Prisoners
East of Verdun and about Douaumont heavy shell fire was maintained by the enemy today. In a minor engagement in the Woeuvre sector, American forces captured 30 prisoners. American units reached the Kriemhild-Steeling line today just south of Brielleux.

Important American Advance
The line is part of the general German defensive system beginning at Douaumont, continuing south by La Fere and thence east to the Meuse. Crossing the Meuse, the line extends eastward by way of Etain and runs across the St. Mihiel salient to the Moselle which it reached just south of Pagny. When the St. Mihiel salient was reduced by the Americans the enemy was forced behind this system in that vicinity.

On the greater part of the front between the Aisne and Meuse rivers the enemy is either on or immediately in front of this line. On this front the enemy's main combat zone was bounded on the south by a line of resistance along Laifoon ravine and on the north by the Volker-Steeling line. This exceptionally strong system originally began east of Montfaucon and ran south of that city through Ivoiry, Epinville and the woods east of Eclisfontain.

Yanks Cut Principal Zone
The Americans have already broken through this principal zone of resistance and so are facing the Kriemhild-Steeling system.

From the west to the east along this front, the system runs from north of St. Juvin to south of Landres-et-St. Georges and continues eastward including the heights of Romagne wood and Gesnes wood, which dominate the important valley of the Andon. This river is crossed just south of Romagne and then the system runs to the southeast across the higher ground, in the forests of De Cuneil and De Fais. Then, turning northward, it follows the crest of the hills over naturally strong positions until it reaches the Meuse north of Brielleux.

It is further protected by prepared positions on Hill 263, across the Meuse.

Great Natural Strength
This system is one of very great natural strength, based on a series of heights, wooded districts, ravines and valleys, both on and behind the actual line. Certain key positions have been built on concrete and entanglements are prepared for immediate use. At other points the enemy is reported to have been erecting new fortifications since the beginning of the American offensive.

The Kriemhild-Steeling system was begun last year before the Americans became an active factor in the war. It was strengthened from time to time, trenches being laid out and dugouts finally added to the work, so far as known no new wire has been placed recently along this line, but certain strategic positions have been strengthened.

As it is the last enemy defense system between the Americans and the Meuse where it flows north to Metz, a stubborn effort to hold it may be anticipated and the difficulty of carrying this system is not underrated by Americans.

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FEAR UPRISING

German Military Authorities Begin to Remove Inhabitants of Alsace

People From 20 Villages Sent to Bavaria—Some Escape Across Swiss Frontier

GENEVA, Oct. 3.—German military authorities have begun to remove the inhabitants of Alsace, according to the Democratic, in expectation of a Franco-American attack on the frontier.

The inhabitants of 20 villages, including Ferrette, Goutavon and Wisen, already have been sent to Bavaria. Some of the villagers have escaped across the Swiss frontier.

Fear of disorder is rampant throughout Alsace-Lorraine, not only among the civilians but also among the military forces. Food is scarce.

The German authorities in Alsace-Lorraine, the Democratic adds, are afraid of a general uprising when the allies cross the frontier.

GREAT ENEMY RETREAT

Continued

Along from the La Bassée sector. Menin and Roulers are burning. The Belgians are within two miles of Thureoing and Lille is being emptied of its civilian population.

Around St. Quentin, the fighting still continues, but it has apparently taken on the aspect of a rear guard engagement at some points.

Huns Drop Back Near Rheims
Near Rheims the Germans are dropping back before the advance of General Berthelot's army. In Champagne the enemy is slowly giving ground as General Gouraud moves northward.

To Give Up Coast Buses
In the Belgian sector the situation is most critical for the Germans. Their retirement from La Bassée appears to make necessary the abandonment of the district of Lens, to which they have clung since 1914. If Lille also falls, the whole German line for a long distance southward may be rolled up if there is not a prompt re-location of forces. There are reports of the Germans moving their heavy guns back from the western Flanders coast and rumors come from Holland that the whole coast may be evacuated.

Big Gap in Hindenburg Line
British, American and French forces seem to have definitely broken the Hindenburg line between Le Cateau and St. Quentin. They are across the Somme river, which was the strongest line of defense in this sector. Ahead of them is rolling country over which they can resort to open warfare, and then comes the Oise river, with its line of railroad which affords the only direct means of escape for the Germans holding the front from La Fere southward to the Ailette. Before the Oise is reached, the Germans must either bring greater power into the line than at any time during the tremendous battle of the past week or must hurry their forces out of the St. Gobain sector to avoid envelopment.

French Smash on North of Rheims
North of Rheims, the French threaten to reach the open country. They have carried the hill positions which afforded excellent defensive positions and seem ready to bound forward across the lowlands east of the Aisne canal. If they succeed in carrying out this drive, they will compel the Germans west and east of them to retreat.

Americans Fighting Hard
In the Champagne and the Argonne the French and Americans are fighting hard and progress seems to be slow, but the statement of Marshal Foch evidently had this in view and foresaw that the drive north of Rheims would have a close relation with that near Verdun.

Turkey Sends Another "Feeler"
With Damascus lost to the British, Turkey is again reported to have unofficially approached the allies with proposals for an armistice.

Austrians Want Peace
In Austria the demand for peace is assuming a more definite phase. Baron Von Hussarek, the Austrian premier, made an address before the lower house of parliament in which he expressed the belief that efforts to end the war would be continued by Austria and outlined some of the problems which a peace by negotiation would involve.

OCCUPATION OF BULGARIA
BY ALLIES PROGRESSING

PARIS, Oct. 3.—Occupation of Bulgaria by allied troops is progressing normally, according to Marcel Hutting, of the Echo de Paris.

Bulgarian troops resist at certain points, he says, but submit as soon as they are apprised of the fact that an armistice has been signed. German troops which have been fighting in Macedonia are moving northward and appear to be organizing a defensive line along the Danube. They have already fortified the Rumanian bank of the river and it appears that communications between Sofia and Constantinople have already been cut.

PREMIER ORLANDO

ON ITALIAN FRONT
ROME, Oct. 3.—Premier Orlando left for the Italian front coincident with the Bulgarian armistice, according to the Idea National. This armistice, he adds, "has so changed conditions on all fronts that it creates possibilities for activities by the allied forces along new lines not heretofore foreseen."

Private Paul J. Chase of Brattleboro has written to his mother that when he was on a transport crossing the Atlantic he took a book from the ship library and found in it an inscription showing that it was sent to the Brattleboro library by Dr. E. R. Lynch of Brattleboro in response to the call for books for soldiers.

LINE CRUMBLING

German Paper Admits Situation On the Western Front Is Grave

Says Allied Plan of Attack Carried Out in an Extraordinary Manner

PARIS, Oct. 3.—(Havas) The German situation on the western front is grave, the Frankfurt Zeitung admits, adding that the German front is gradually crumbling.

"The allied plan of attack," it adds, "is being carried out in an extraordinary manner. It is an awful strain on our front. The situation on the Meuse where the American attacks are just beginning, is extremely critical; part of the Chemin-des-Dames lines had to be given up, and the whole German front is gradually crumbling away under the allied attacks."

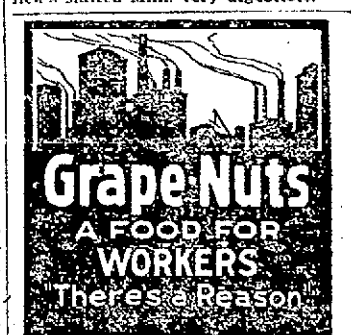
The evacuation of Belgium, is being discussed openly in Berlin, according to advices reaching here. Concerning Alsace-Lorraine, the German high command makes the suggestion that it be neutralized and joined to Luxembourg, thus making a buffer state between France and Germany.

GERMAN PAPERS DISCUSS THE POSSIBLE SURRENDER OF AUSTRIA-BAVARIA MAY QUIT

PARIS, Oct. 3.—(Havas) The German censor at Berlin permits the German press to print articles dwelling on the probable situation of Germany in

the case that Austria should be forced to lay down her arms under pressure, according to advices reaching Paris. It is declared that if Austria-Hungary should give in, Bavaria might follow her example.

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119 MERRIMACK STREET

HOW TO SEND CHRISTMAS GIFTS TO MEN IN THE NAVAL SERVICE

Instructions Issued Applying to Those Both in Home Waters and Abroad

Secretary Daniels authorizes the following:

The following instructions regarding the manner of packing and shipping Christmas packages for men in the naval service both in home waters and abroad, have been prepared by the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts of the Navy Department:

(a). Packages forwarded by parcels post must comply with the postal regulations and should be enclosed in substantial boxes with hinged or screw-top cover to facilitate opening and inspecting.

(b). All boxes shipped by express are limited to 20 pounds in weight, should measure not more than 2 cubic feet in volume, be of wood, well strapped, and have a hinged or screw top to facilitate opening and inspecting.

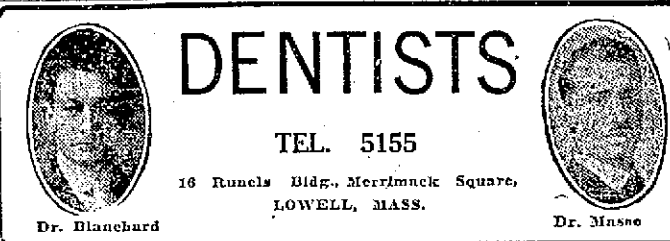
(c). No perishable food product other than those enclosed in cans or glass jars should be packed in parcels post or express shipments.

(d). All mail matter should be addressed as now prescribed by the Postal regulations. All express packages should be forwarded in care of Supply Officer, Fleet Supply Base, 29th Street and 3d Avenue, South Brooklyn, N. Y.

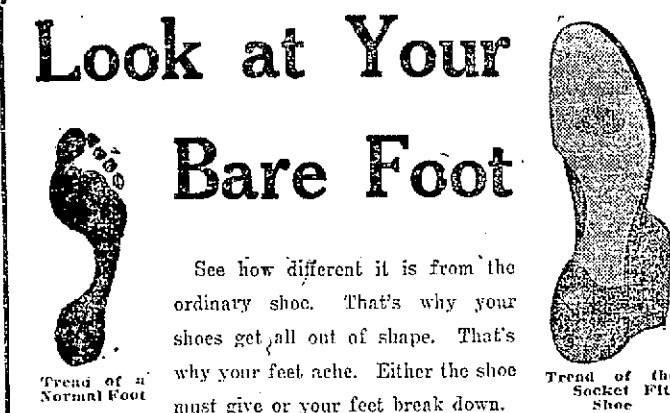
(e). All packages must be plainly marked with the name and address of the sender together with a notation indicating the nature of the contents, such as "Christmas box" or "Christmas present."

(f). The supply officer at New York will cause each express package to be opened and carefully examined to see that nothing of an explosive or other dangerous character is forwarded.

The shipment of Christmas packages for vessels abroad should be made so as to reach New York as early as possible, and not later than November 15th.



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LENS AND ARMENTIERES EVACUATED BY GERMANS

Lens, the Great Mining City, and Armentieres Fall to Allies

BERLIN, Oct. 3 (via London)—Lens was evacuated by the Germans on Tuesday night the war office announced today. Armentieres was evacuated the same evening.

French attacks towards the western end of the Chemin-des-Dames were repulsed, while in the Champagne counter thrusts, it is announced, reduced the area of recent French gains. The failure of strong attacks upon the new German lines both north and south of St. Quentin is claimed.

118 LOST ON SHIP BUY BABY BONDS

U. S. S. Tampa Sunk Off
English Coast While On
Convoy Duty

All On Board Perished—
Went Down at Night After
Being Hit by Torpedo

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The U.S.S. Tampa, a former coast guard cutter in naval service, was lost off the English coast Sept. 26, with all on board, while on convoy duty.

Ten officers and 102 enlisted men of the crew, one British officer and five civilian employees, lost their lives. A navy department statement today announcing the disaster says the ship was sunk at night in the Bristol channel and that reports indicate that she was struck by a torpedo while escorting a convoy.

233 NEW CASES

Lowell's Grippe Situation
Still Very Bad—Schools
and Theatres Still Closed

It Is Expected All Pastors in
City Will Announce, "No
Services Sunday"

Lowell's schools and theatres are closed indefinitely because of the influenza epidemic. The matter of closing local churches is entirely up to the judgment of the various pastors.

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MAINE TOWNS "OVER TOP"
PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 3.—The number of Maine towns, which have completed their quotas for the fourth Liberty loan, was increased to 23 today, a gain of 13. They include three cities, Auburn, Rockland and Belfast. The new towns to make good their allotment of subscriptions were Perry, Lowell, Wilton, Jackson, Munroe, Winterport, Morrill, Thorndike, Unity, Troy, Belfast, Swanville and South Thomaston.

Time

"There is a time for some things and a time for all things; a time for great things and a time for small things."—Cervantes.

Now is the time to have that aching tooth treated.

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109-465 MERRIMACK ST.

Big Liberty Loan Subscriptions Slacken Up But \$50 and \$100 Sales Increase

Expect Sousa's Band, Here
Oct. 11, Will Put Lowell
Far Above Its Quota

Lowell's fourth Liberty loan subscriptions were advanced to very near the \$400,000 mark today as a result of a deluge of small purchases by the general public at the local banks. No large subscriptions had been reported at the time of going to press, but the usual persistent stream of \$50 and \$100 contributions kept the figures on an upward incline.

It will be of interest to Lowell people to know that the Liggett Co., which maintains a store in this city, has subscribed for at least one bond for every one of its employees and these will be carried on the most liberal terms for the employees until they have paid for them themselves. The employees will pay the company at their own convenience.

Sousa's Band Coming
The Lowell Liberty loan committee has secured the services of Sousa's band of 310 men to come here Friday, Oct. 11 from 7 a. m. to 11 a. m. Word to this effect was received by the committee by telegraph last evening. It is hoped that Lowell will have secured her quota of \$700,000 by that time so that an honor flag may be hoisted over city hall to the strains of the world-famous organization. The great leader himself will direct the playing and while no definite program has been outlined for the morning, it is expected that the band will play at various points downtown.

In the meantime, Lowell people must subscribe more than \$4,000,000 if the celebration is to be complete.

CONSTANTINEAU DEAD

Thousands of Lowell Ball
Fans Admired the Great
Southpaw Pitcher

The many Lowell friends and admirers of Leo ("Connie") Constantineau, the popular C.M.A.C. pitcher, will be grieved to learn of his death, which occurred yesterday at Portsmouth, Va., where the young man was stationed as a seaman, having joined the United States navy last year. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Constantineau, of 26 Livingston street, this city and two sisters. The body will be brought to this city and taken to the home of his parents by Undertaker William A. Mack.

Leo Constantineau was 24 years of age and was considered the best all round baseball pitcher this city has produced in recent years. He played with the C.M.A.C. several years and his work was such that it attracted the attention of the big leaguers with the result that on the day he was called into the naval service after enlisting, he received a notice from President McKinley of the Chicago White Sox, notifying him to report to that ball club, but the young man had made up his mind to join the service and he sacrificed what would probably have been a great baseball career for the sake of Uncle Sam and the great fight for democracy.

Great Enemy Retreat in Attempt to Escape Giant Allied Trap Continues

NEW CHANCELLOR LE CATELET FALLS

Prince Maximilian of Baden
Named to Succeed Von
Hertling in Germany

Was Mentioned as Kaiser's
Successor During Move-
ment to Dethrone Emperor

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 3.—Prince Maximilian of Baden has been named German imperial chancellor, according to the Zeitung Am Mittag of Berlin.

A council meeting took place at the chancellor's palace in Berlin last evening, according to advices received here. Emperor William presided and the meeting was attended by Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, who had come to Berlin with the emperor, former Chancellor Von Hertling, Vice Chancellor Von Payer and several state secretaries.

Prince Maximilian is heir to the throne of the grand duchy of Baden. He was born July 10, 1867. For some years he has been recognized as the leader of the Delbruck group of German moderates and upon the fall of Imperial Chancellor Michaelis, Nov. 1, 1917, he was put forward as the moderate candidate for the chancellorship. His name, however, did not go before the emperor as Prince Maximilian objected for dynastic reasons.

At that time there were vague rumors of a movement in moderate circles for the dethronement of Emperor William and the choice of Prince Maximilian as his successor. The rumors were never confirmed, although there seems to be some foundation to them. In his book, "My Four Years in Germany," former Ambassador James W. Gerard paid tribute to Prince Maximilian, saying he had been considered as the man to be placed at the head of a central department for prisoners of war in Germany and that such an appointment would have redounded to the benefit of both Germany and the prisoners placed in his charge.

Early in the present year, Prince Maximilian gave a semi-official interview in which he outlined his views on Germany's peace terms. His statement was a rude shock to the pan-Germans in that he advocated the abandonment of all ideas of conquest. He advocated an Anglo-Saxon peace, in the sense that the German empire must serve as a bulwark in protecting the western nations from the spread of Russian bolshevism.

Prince Maximilian's wife was formerly Marie Louise, duchess of Brunswick-Lunenbourg, and bears the title of princess royal of Great Britain and Ireland.

NEARLY KILLS MOTHER

Mrs. Mary Roseman's Boy
Turns on Gas and Neighbor
Rescues Her in Time

Mrs. Mary Roseman of 58 Elm street was removed to St. John's hospital at 12:45 o'clock this afternoon suffering from gas poisoning, but fortunately her condition is not serious and it is expected that she will be able to leave the institution.

Shortly after dinner Mrs. Roseman went to her bedroom for a nap and while she was enjoying a sleep her small boy turned on the gas, not being aware of the seriousness of his act. Shortly afterward a neighbor smelled gas and after an investigation found Mrs. Roseman suffering from the effects of the poison. The ambulance was summoned in haste and the sick woman was removed to St. John's hospital.

The Sun prints the news of the world when it is news and only such news as is fit to print. It is a clean family newspaper.

Report Ramicourt, Gouy and
Sequehart Also Taken by
British

Unofficial Message Also, An-
nounces 2000 Germans
Taken by British Today

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Oct. 3.—(By the Associated Press)—Field Marshal Haig's forces are reported to have captured Ramicourt, Gouy, Le Catelet and Sequehart. This has not been officially confirmed. More than 2000 Germans have been taken prisoners today by the British.

REGULAR HUMAN BEING

Jas. W. Gerard Pays Tribute
to Prince Maximilian, New
German Chancellor

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 3.—Prince Maximilian of Baden, new German chancellor, is a "regular human being," according to James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany.

"The prince," he said, "is a man who knows English perfectly and is one of the high Germans who seem to be able to think like an ordinary human being. I saw him with reference to the prisoner question, in which he took great interest."

"He is a man of most charming appearance and manner and indulgent of the views of other countries. He is not the direct heir of the present grand duke of Baden, being the nephew, I think."

He always carries a book of Emerson's essays in his pocket. "Von Jagow and I wanted to have him put at the head of all prisoners' work in Germany. Von Jagow told me he tried to bring about the appointment of Prince Maximilian, but was terribly sat upon by the military."

"The putting forward of a man of Prince Maximilian's personality and views in the position of chancellor, to my mind, means a very definite attempt to seek peace and an abandonment of the Pan-German policy."

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Le Catelet, Ramicourt, Gouy and Sequehart Reported Captured by British

British Hammering Hun Defense Lines North of St. Quentin—French Surge On Near Rheims and In Champagne—German Hold On Belgium Near End— Evacuate Entire Coast—Yanks in Heavy Fighting

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)

On a front of 20 miles between Armentieres and Lens, the Germans continue to retire from the salient west of the fortress of Lille. North of St. Quentin the British again are storming the German defense lines, while in Champagne the French are pressing northward, threatening the German communications.

British at Heels of Germans

Evacuation of the Lille salient is the direct result of the allied advances in Flanders and around Cambrai. The British are keeping close at the heels of the Germans, who already have retired an average of two miles, but there is no indication of where the enemy will stop or whether he will extend his withdrawal movement to include the region of Douai and attempt to form a straight line from Roulers through Lille and Douai to Cambrai.

Fall of Lens Imminent

Armentieres and Lens apparently are held by the enemy but their fall to the British probably is only a matter of a few hours. With Lens in the hands of the British and the German line moved back to near Lille or beyond, the great coal fields in this district which the Germans have defended tenaciously

for four years, will no longer be of use to them.

Enemy's Hold on Belgium Threatened

In Flanders, Belgium, British and French continue their pressure against the stiffened resistance of the enemy. The salient driven in by the allies threatens the Germans' hold on Belgium and an advance of perhaps 10 miles toward Ghent probably would compel the enemy to retire to the northern Meuse line.

New British Attack

On the Cambrai-St. Quentin front the British have maintained their gains despite strong German counter thrusts. The new British attack north of St. Quentin probably is against the Beaurevoir-Fonsomme line where Field Marshal Haig holds the sharp salient in the German line.

New Gains for French

Generals Berthelot and Gouraud continue their attacks north of Rheims and in Champagne and have taken further ground from the enemy. North of Rheims the enemy has been driven from most of the hill positions and soon will be in the open where the French advance may be more rapid. In Champagne, General Gouraud has captured Challerange, a railroad junction and his guns now command the junction of Vouziers, farther north. In losing Challerange, the Germans lost command of the railway running through the Argonne forest at Grand Pre. The line was the main supply line of the Germans facing the Americans east of the Argonne.

Try to Escape Giant Trap

In withdrawing in the Lille salient the Germans are endeavoring to get out of the giant trap which Marshal Foch has constructed. While hammering the formidable Cambrai-Laon line by thrusts in Flanders and from Rheims to the Meuse, he is bending back the German flanks. The German supply lines are menaced by the allied advances on the flanks and should they be cut the German situation would be most desperate.

254,000 Germans Captured

From July 15 to Sept. 30, the allied armies in France and Belgium captured from more than 254,000 prisoners, 3600 guns and 3000 machine guns.

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Outflanked and imperilled by the advance of the Anglo-Belgian armies east of Ypres, the enemy is now rapidly re-

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BAY STATE SPRAYS CARS IN GRIPPE FIGHT

Supt. Thomas Lees of the local division of the Bay State Street Railway Co. stated today that 56 employees of the company in this city are off duty, owing undoubtedly to the prevalence of influenza. Yesterday there were 53. In the entire system 119 employees are off duty today, in comparison with 411 yesterday.

The cars in Lowell have been sprayed with germicide to ward off danger of contagion and this will continue while the epidemic lasts.

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CITY OF LOWELL

NOTICE TO VOTERS

All persons claiming the right to vote at the coming State election and desiring to be registered as voters are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Registrars of Voters to present evidence of their qualifications at sessions to be held as follows:

Tuesday, October 8th, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.
Wednesday, October 9th, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.
Thursday, Oct. 10th, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.
Friday, October 11th, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.
Monday, October 14th, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.
Tuesday, October 15th, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.
Wednesday, October 16th, from 12 m. to 10 p. m., which will be the last day of registration.
HUGH C. MOSEKER, Chairman.
J. OMER ALLARD,
FRED HARRISON,
STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk.
Board of Registrars of Voters.
October 3, 1918.

USE CHEAP GRADES SAY
COAL DEALERS

If the people of Lowell will only use fact and patience and do their best to conserve fuel by using some of the so-called poorer grades of coal through the fall months, there will be no shortage sufficient to cause suffering here this winter, is the opinion of the local coal dealers.

Anthracite coal in all forms is daily finding its way into the local freight yards and, although it is not coming in the quantity of other years, the transportation facilities are expected to prove adequate to the task of getting the city's quota in the yards as per schedule. The fuel committee has obtained a material increase in its quota for the city, and has every assurance that this will be filled.

In view of the fact that the committee has an allotment of coal which will enable it to give every household two-thirds of the amount he used last winter, and also that the railroads will get the coal into the yards in seasonable time, all that is necessary for Lowell people to do in order not to be pinched for fuel is to adopt all possible conservation measures.

This conservation may be carried out by different methods. Among those suggested by the local dealers are the following: Backward coal, by using a little skill and application, this coal has proved a very acceptable substitute for egg and stove coal, and as every household is allowed a small supply of this coal in addition to his two-thirds allotment of egg, nut or stove coal, it presents itself as an admirable means of conserving the supply.

Soft or bituminous coal: This is not very generally used by the public, but in a pinch it will be found that with a little care the kitchen stove will produce results with this coal. There is a large supply of this coal in this city, and it can be obtained in addition to the regular allotment.

The fuel committee's latest ruling, which provides that coal shall be distributed in one-ton amounts to those whose orders have remained unfilled since last summer by reason of the shortage of labor on the part of the dealers, seems judicious. Were the complete allotment delivered to each waiting customer, instead of one ton, the city's supply would soon be exhausted. By giving a small amount to all, the city's coalpile is constantly replenished through the daily incoming coal arriving at the yards, and thus an uninterrupted supply is assured.

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Boys' V-neck sweaters, \$5.00, \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$5.00 at J. C. Mansour's, cor. Merrimack and Hanover streets.

Big line of New Stylish Hats for young men at J. C. Mansour's, cor. Merrimack and Hanover streets.

The sessions of Middlesex superior court, which were to have opened on Monday, Oct. 7, at Cambridge and Lowell, have been postponed until Monday, Oct. 14, by order of the court.

Mrs. Omer J. Smith, of 90 Alken street, returned yesterday from a three months' trip to Canada during which time she was the guest of friends and relatives.

Miss Ann Dorothy Moody, of 29 Boylston street, will enter the senior class of Leland Powers school, Boston, Oct. 14. She is now qualifying to enter that class which amounts to her accomplishing two years' work in one year.

Dewey Archambault, of the firm of Amodee Archambault & Sons, undertakers, and Victor and Ralph Rochette, sons of Dr. L. V. Rochette of Merrimack street, have enlisted in the Student Army Training Corps at Boston college and they will enter upon their new duties Oct. 10.

In accordance with a suggestion from the office of the provost marshal general, Mayor Thompson has sent affidavits to various local exemption boards stating that registrants who are members of the local police department are necessary employees and should be exempted from military service.

What will doubtless prove a severe handicap to the town of Andover in its fight with the present epidemic of influenza is the illness of Dr. M. A. Buck. The calls for his services have come thick and fast during the past two weeks, giving him practically no time to rest or sleep, with the result that he is now confined to his bed.

John C. McMillan, the popular foreman at the car barns of the Bay State street railway in this city, has been promoted to be car inspector for Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill and Woburn. The position of foreman will be filled by Robert R. Thomas, who was formerly assistant to Mr. McMillan.

In the suburban advertising columns today the attention of the people of Chetumford is called to a notice given by the board of health of that town in which the churches are ordered closed until further notice, also the libraries and all gatherings are forbidden. This order is issued in accordance with the request of the state emergency health committee. In this appeal Henry B. Endicott states that by using these means of checking the spread of the epidemic, the physicians' efforts will be helped to a great extent, and it will tend to bring about a speedy termination of the disease.

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(Modes of Today)
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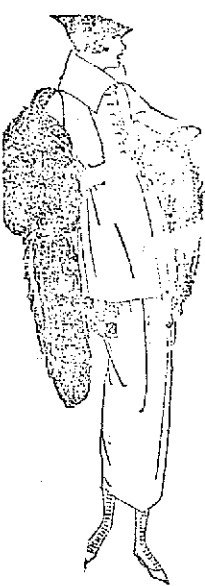
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TIME TO BUY YOUR SUIT or COAT

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Our Coats and Suits are beautiful, and if you want the better quality you will save money by buying early. Fine garments will cost more before November.

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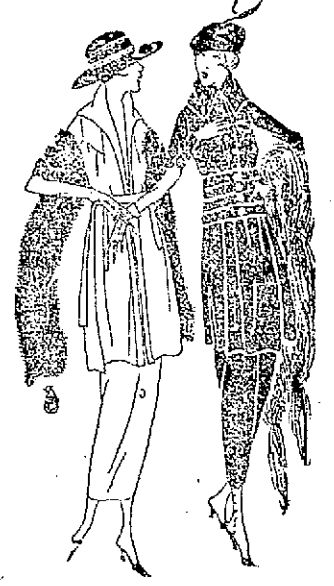
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FIVE STATES PAY TWO THIRDS OF ALL TAXES

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Five states, New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio and Massachusetts—furnished nearly two-thirds of the taxes collected by the government during the fiscal year ending last June 30. Of the \$3,691,703,334 collected in federal taxes, these states gave \$2,282,000,000, or 61 per cent, and of the \$2,839,033,585 gathered from income and excess profits taxes, the principal source of revenue, these states supplied \$1,868,000,000 or 65 per cent. From miscellaneous taxes, \$865,619,748 was collected in the whole country.

New York paid \$839,375,000, of which \$689,265,000 was income and excess profits taxes, or 22 per cent of the entire nation's collections. This was largely due to the fact that many corporations with plants scattered through the country reported earnings from their New York headquarters.

Income and excess profits taxes in 1918 were 7.9 times greater than income taxes in 1917. A table of collections from these sources by states in the two years shows that West Virginia jumped from \$1,921,090 to \$45,549,000, an increase of nearly 24 times proportionately greater than any other state. Utah stood lowest in the record of gains with a little less than twice the 1917 amount.

New York, which showed 36 per cent of the total income taxes in 1917, reported only 24 per cent this year. Pennsylvania collected 11.8 times as much in 1918 as in 1917. Illinois showed a gain of 10.5 times, Ohio 11 times and Massachusetts 8.2 times. Southern states with a few exceptions reported gains exceeding the average for the whole country.

The revenue bureau has not yet tabulated income and excess profits tax collections to show separately the amounts from corporations, partnerships and individuals.

Collections by states and territories, showing income and excess profits taxes, with the difference representing miscellaneous taxes, were reported as follows:

State	Income and excess profits tax (1918)	Total (1918)
Alabama	\$18,210	\$19,313
Alaska	211	379
Arizona	5,721	6,725
Arkansas	6,312	7,315
California	76,641	109,813
Colorado	23,100	25,064
Connecticut	22,190	24,443
Delaware	22,190	24,443
District of Columbia	8,822	12,791
Florida	1,439	7,367
Georgia	15,220	19,015
Hawaii	5,961	10,015
Idaho	2,067	2,316
Illinois	75,579	362,454
Indiana	20,054	27,589
Iowa	14,573	17,469
Kansas	38,013	29,211
Kentucky	20,946	25,764
Louisiana	21,807	25,764
Maine	12,016	13,237
Maryland	40,003	61,107
Massachusetts	165,398	191,811
Michigan	71,061	102,273
Minnesota	58,218	70,706
Mississippi	4,944	5,327
Missouri	60,012	88,353
Montana	3,921	4,304
Nebraska	11,335	13,571
Nevada	609	895
New Hampshire	5,918	7,765
New Jersey	7,111	103,275
New Mexico	1,862	2,529
New York	839,375	839,375
North Carolina	20,941	25,764
North Dakota	1,323	2,073
Ohio	241,057	300,327
Oklahoma	18,261	19,634
Oregon	10,070	11,443
Pennsylvania	465,839	589,064
Rhode Island	10,395	20,474
South Carolina	7,351	8,451
South Dakota	1,758	2,408
Tennessee	14,172	17,093
Texas	30,334	40,814
Vermont	3,490	4,001
Virginia	21,136	36,003
Washington	10,334	20,965
West Virginia	45,549	45,549
Wisconsin	39,193	58,517
Wyoming	2,635	3,690
Philippine Islands	755	755

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OCT. 12 PROGRAM GIVEN

Splendid Exercises Surround Dedication of Parkway and Bust Columbus Day

The committee in charge of the dedication of Cardinal O'Connell parkway and bust which is to be held Columbus day, Oct. 12, announced today the program of exercises surrounding the former unveiling of the monument and in detail it is as follows:

10 a. m., parade from South common through principal streets to Centralville, counter-march to Merrimack st. to the parkway.

Opening address, Hon. James B. Casey, chairman of the committee.

Prayer, Rt. Rev. William O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick's church.

Address of presentation, Mr. Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of schools.

Acceptance on behalf of the city, Mayor Perry D. Thompson.

Address, Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan.

Address, His Eminence William Cardinal O'Connell.

Patriotic selections, united choirs and school children.

A meeting of the committee in charge will be held Sunday afternoon when minor details of the celebration will be perfected.

The aids of the chief marshal, more than 120 in all, will present a fine appearance. They will wear frock coats, silk hats, grey gloves, grey ties and a handsome cardinal sash. An honorary civic committee of 100 prominent citizens has been appointed and as fast as replies are received from those who have been invited to participate in this division Secretary Warren P. Riordan is checking off the list. It is planned that the civic committee and the general committee shall march in the parade, the regulation dress for the aids prevailing for these participants, also. Grand Knight Robert B. Thomas of the Knights of Columbus wishes every member of the council to take part in the celebration as the council is making every effort to make a brilliant showing.

A Springfield woman was greatly disappointed when her application for a card for sugar which she said she wanted to use to make fudge with was refused.

Doctor Said Lungs Were Too Far Gone

But Miss Green's Recovery Proves That There Is Hope for Many Consumptives.

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SOLDIER APPRECIATED A BATH AFTER BATTLE

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—When a soldier comes out of battle the things he needs for are a hot meal, a shave, a bath, a change of clothing and a real bed. During the July and August offensive when the Germans were driven across the Marne to the Vesle and with the Americans on the move northward day and night it was no easy matter to provide the soldiers with these essentials but day after day the task was accomplished and in many instances the water for bathing purposes was hot.

Further improvement of the system of providing baths for the men on the very edge of the battlefields is contemplated. American officers say that the day is not far away when the rolling shower bath apparatus will be as common a sight along the roads back of the lines as are the rolling kitchens today.

One of the divisions engaged in the recent fighting used 48 showers heads and also a disinfectant in which battle soiled clothing was sterilized.

"Even with this meagre equipment we have been able to keep the fighting men in good condition," an officer reported. "At the bathing centre we can bathe 1200 to 1500 men each day. During the offensive we averaged 100,000 men per day. As they were relieved from the line they were either marched to baths or transported in camions, and every man was given a good, hot bath and change of clothing. In four days 6642 men and 137 officers passed through the baths.

"The effect of the baths on the men was wonderful. They came from the front lines worn out, dirty, clothing torn, and left the baths splendidly bucked up, physically and mentally. As most of these men had to go back into the line a few days after coming out, one can appreciate the value of a bath and change of clothing.

"It was exceedingly gratifying to feel that we did not essentially cease to work while the division was in action, at a time when it was very important that the men coming back should have the effect of a bath and clean clothing.

The medical officer's report sets forth that efforts are under way to arrange for transportation of the bathing equipment "so as to continue the bathing program whenever the division moves to a new area."

In many instances the soldiers' rest camps are located along streams and when this is the case the men are taken in detachments of several hundreds at a time for a real summer swim and allowed to remain in the water as long as they like. But up front, when baths are being provided within sound of the big guns, each man is only allowed so many minutes in the water and he comes out looking forward to getting back to civilization and contemplating spending an hour or so in a nice big tub.

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LONDON, Oct. 3.—The British admiralty announces that the tonnage of merchant vessels completed in the United Kingdom shipyards during September amounted to 144,772 tons, which is 20,000 tons in excess of the figures for August and has only twice been surpassed in any month of this year.

The total tonnage in new construction for the first nine months of 1918 was 1,174,641, as compared with 743,852 in the corresponding period of last year. The total for 12 months ending September, 1918, was 1,594,262, as compared with 957,155 for the previous year.

In the second quarter of 1917 the world's merchant shipping suffered a loss of 2,226,934 tons, but in the last three months for which figures are available, namely, June, July and August, the total was 322,566 tons—a reduction of 38 per cent.

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German and Austrian Rulers
Are Losing Their Hold on
the People

Repeated Disasters to Hun
Armies and Certainty of In-
vasion Leading to Revolt

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Signs are multiplying in reports reaching the state department from various agencies in neutral European countries of the rapid weakening of the despotic control which the military elements in Germany and Austria have imposed upon the civilian population. So extensive and consequential are the events quickly following one another in Berlin and Vienna that American officials are becoming convinced that the imperial rulers have been forced, however reluctantly, to the conviction that if they are to preserve their dynasties from destruction they must yield to the growing demands of the civilian elements for the right of participation in the government during this crisis.

Scared by Defeats

The military parties have retained their control only because of their asserted ability to secure a military decision that would confirm German supremacy over continental Europe, and the British Isles as well. Now that the German armies are being defeated and driven back into Germany, and the nation is confronted with the painful certainty of an invasion and retributive justice for the wrongs inflicted upon the French and Belgians, the influence of the Pan-Germans and military parties is waning, and it is believed that the two emperors have decided that if they are to retain the support of the people they must turn to the civilian parties that have been demanding a voice in affairs.

It was pointed out yesterday that President Wilson has repeatedly declared that with the military rules of the central powers convicted of broken faith and deceit there can be no discussion of the peace for which the German people apparently are clamoring. Hence the belated attempts of the emperors to erect a structure of real democratic government through the creation of cabinets responsible to the parliaments in the hope that with these the emperors' statesmen will be willing to confer about peace.

Signs of New Cabinet

Indications of such a purpose are discerned by American officials in various utterances and acts of the German and Austrian leaders. In his acceptance of the resignation of Premier von Hertling, Emperor William appeared to come to his aid and share the burden of government, a direct bid for the support of the socialists and centrists in return for the participation in the cabinet.

When there are statements in leading German newspapers, significant because they have passed the scrutiny of the German censors, that the creation of a responsible cabinet is under consideration. Next is the refusal of the socialists to enter the government as at present constituted, indicative of a determination to hold out for the right of the majority party in the reichstag to name the members of the cabinet even though that involves the change of the German constitution.

Socialists May Get Control

As a half way measure and in a desperate effort to save the imperial prerogative Emperor William already has tried the expedient of himself selecting leaders of the opposition parties for minor places in the cabinet and promising to forward the enactment of popular measures. But the socialists have generally declined to accept anything short of absolute control through the reichstag of the cabinet without reference to the wishes of the emperor, and we officials believe that at length they are about to realize their aspirations.

Such a change in Germany doubtless would be followed, if not indeed preceded, by a similar revolution in Austrian parliamentary government, and it is fully expected that as soon as a real representative government is a fact in the central empires there will

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The Observant Lady

I saw a woman today, whose home is in one of Lowell's finest residential districts, driving her large touring car, well stocked with supplies to aid in the relief of those suffering from the prevailing epidemic, and it was easy to see that she was very anxious to cover a great deal of ground during the day. Until recently she has employed a chauffeur, but owing to the fact that she lost the services of a man who had been inducted into the service, she has been without one for some time. To enable her to make her trips of goodwill, she needed the automobile, and whether a man was available or not, her mission could not be delayed on that account. She therefore, dons an ulster, adjusts the large "goggles" over her eyes and sits at the wheel with an expression of determination for she is a true, patriotic American woman, and is equal to any emergency.

If you happen to walk down Market be an irresistible movement toward peace, even on the terms laid down by President Wilson.

In this connection the news yesterday that the Austrian emperor had summoned to Vienna the three biggest men of Hungary, Counts Tisza, Andrássy and Apponyi, was received here with undisguised interest. This action was regarded as very significant, although officials were not certain whether it had to do with the Bulgarian withdrawal from the war with its direct threat to the dual monarchy, or with internal reforms, or was a definite move for a separate peace.

Counts Tisza, Andrássy and Apponyi, each of whom has been premier of Austria-Hungary, are members of three different parties. Count Tisza is considered the most uncompromising pro-German leader in the empire. Andrássy has been for peace since the outbreak of the war, and has vigorously opposed the government, especially after the signing of the recent treaty between Germany and Austria, under which Austria was made a vassal state. Apponyi has been a leader of one of the strong Hungarian parties demanding supremacy of Hungary in the empire.

street you will see in one of the hardware stores a mammoth Chili squash, weighing 54 pounds, on display in the window, as well as a huge potato which weighs 1 pound and 10 ounces. These fine specimens have been raised on a farm in the immediate vicinity of this city. I have been wondering ever since my eyes rested on these exceptionally huge garden products, if, when we order that extra potato with our dinner, in the downtown restaurants, just how many extra potatoes would be charged to our account if they happened to bring in one of this sort with our dinner.

I have heard of many different ways of hinting to young gentlemen callers that it is pretty nearly time to make their exit. We learn new things every day, so I am led to understand, and right in this connection I learned a new way of offering suggestions. Two young gentlemen saw a paper fluttering through the doorway and upon picking same up, found it to be the front page of a song entitled, "Won't You Take a Little Walk." Realizing that it was meant for a joke, they remained almost as late as they had planned, before bidding the young ladies good-night.

I have found out that some Lowell people cannot be termed "slackers" just because they delay buying Liberty bonds. I also might suggest that you do not have to worry about certain families if one of the members is a Boy Scout. The Boy Scouts begin their drive about the 12th of the month, and are given a week's time in which to sell bonds. They are expected not to request people to buy until the specified week arrives, when they may get busy, but it is sort of an understood fact that relatives of the Scouts will not subscribe from anyone else. Who could not help but catch the eager spirit of these boys when it is plain to be seen they are just anxiously waiting the time when they may hustle around the city with their subscription blanks?

When you buy that Liberty bond I hope there is a smile upon your face, and not an expression to indicate you think you are doing your duty. I think we should feel glad that we can be of some help and that if our money can express patriotic desire to serve, we ought to feel we are fortunate in being given the opportunity to thus show our loyalty.

The women at the local chapter of the Red Cross made a very wise move when they sent out sewing to a certain group of young ladies on Monday of this week. I was fortunate enough to be able to assist with this work, which was to aid in the relief work in connection with the grippe. The huge bundle of articles was soon disposed of, and with many willing hands, the task was completed in a short time. The best part of it was the fact that everybody enjoyed doing it. It did not seem hard to devote one evening to this work, for there are always some new war songs to be sung and some new tales to tell, and the hours are spent in a happy, useful manner.

I read the other day that Elsie Janis, the actress, was now over in France doing her share towards entertaining the soldier boys. When I read about the different actors and actresses who perhaps have been favorites, making the trip overseas, there seems to come a glad feeling, rather than one that we have lost something and will miss it, etc. I think most of us would not mind if all our stage favorites thought it necessary to serve in that capacity, for we want our boys to have the very best, and surely they cannot have it if we retain a selfish desire to want to keep them here for our own enjoyment.

The old vessel Commodore, which has long lain at anchor on the Chicago river and since the outbreak of the war has been a receiving ship for the navy, has been made a land structure by filling in around the hull with clay and rocks, inside a bulkhead on the water side.

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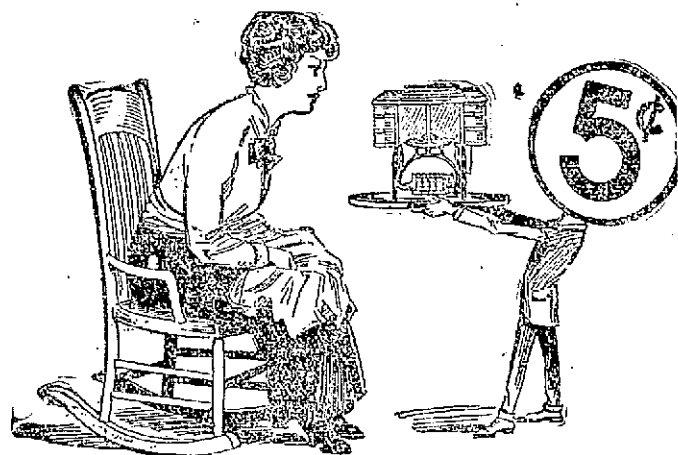
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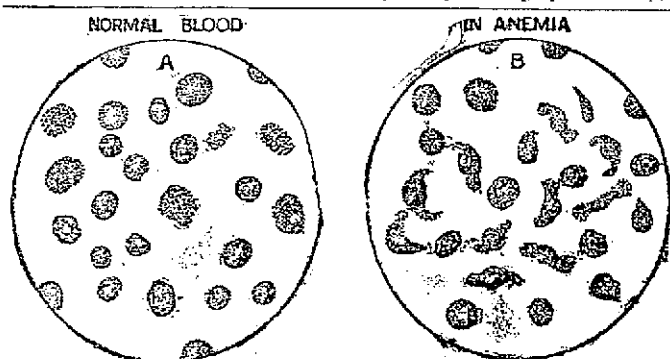
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THE BLOOD

By LEE HERBERT SMITH, M. D.

In the above drawing from the human blood in health (Fig. A) and in disease (Fig. B) we see how the blood changes, as seen through a microscope, when a person is thin-blooded as in anemia (Fig. B). During the long winter months most women are housed up in the home, office or factory, getting little good air or proper exercise. Therefore the following spring or summer they feel weak, nervous, look pale, or the skin breaks out in pimples, eruptions or boils; one feels "blue" and without energy. Sometimes hands are cold and "clawny." Women often are so pale they look almost green—often called "green sickness." At such times there is a large decrease in the red or white blood corpuscles and the blood cells instead of being round and healthy take on irregular shapes, as in Fig. B.

What's to be done in such cases? Put iron in your blood, and the cells become round and red; they lose the irregular shape and you gain in vim, vigor and vitality. By experiments and actual test, I have found that the best combination of iron with herbal extracts is to be found in an iron tonic, called "Ironite," and sold by most druggists in tablets of one hundred for sixty cents. You will find that instead of pale cheeks, feelings of lassitude, tired, worn out before day is half done, after taking "Ironite" your cheeks will have color, you will feel strong and vigorous, and "ready for the fray." Start now and you will be surprised how full of vim, vigor and vitality you will feel in a few short weeks.

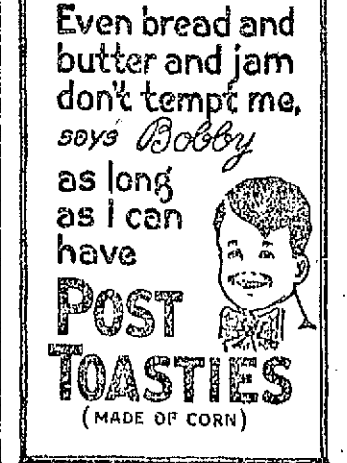
O'LEARY AS CHAIRMAN

O'Sullivan and Other Democratic Leaders to Work for Long's Election

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—The resignation of Michael A. O'Leary as chairman of the democratic state committee, advocated by Richard H. Long, the party's candidate for governor, was refused at a meeting of 30 members of the committee yesterday afternoon and evening in the Quincy House.

Reconciliation has now been effected and Candidate Long and the committee will work in harmony during the campaign which will end Nov. 5.

Even bread and butter and jam don't tempt me, says Bobby as long as I can have POST TOASTIES



Confident of Harmony

"I thought that a man who had been with me through the primary campaign should head the senate committee and work for my election during the final campaign," said Candidate Long last night. "However, the committee thought otherwise. I am an organization man and will work with the organization. Everything will be done by Mr. O'Leary and the committee to build up and reorganize the city and town democratic committees. I feel sure that with harmony assured now we will win."

A committee composed of Harold Williams of Dedham, Chandler Wood of Winchester, Edward P. Barry of Boston, John F. Mitchell of Marlboro and Frank Moynihan of Boston met with Mr. Long after the meeting and informed him of the committee's action in voting to retain Chairman O'Leary.

Conference Tomorrow

At that time arrangements were made for another conference to be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in Mr. Long's State street offices. David I. Walsh of Fitchburg, democratic candidate for the United States senate, and other party nominees, will be present and plans for the campaign throughout the state will be made.

In addition to saying that he is willing to work with Chairman O'Leary and the state committee, Mr. Long last night declared that it is quite possible that an executive committee will be appointed to work with the officers of the state party. Stories of riotous party meetings in the afternoon were laughed at.

"At the opening of the afternoon session, with Mr. O'Leary in the chair, a committee comprising Joseph A. Maynard of Boston, Charles B. Strecker of Boston and Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell was appointed to escort Mr. Long to the meeting. When Long ar-

rived he was introduced by Chairman O'Leary. He then stated his position in relation to the state committee and political organizations, and hoped that whatever the outcome the committee would work with him.

E. P. Barry, defeated candidate for the nomination for governor, then moved that the resignation of Chairman O'Leary "be not accepted" and the motion was carried by a vote of 15 to 7, with nine not voting.

The committee also voted to postpone the date of the annual state convention, which will be held in Worcester, from Oct. 5 to Oct. 19, because of the influenza epidemic.

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NEW ENGLAND NAMES
ON CASUALTY LIST

Only a few Massachusetts names appear on this list and no Lowell names are on it.

Killed in Action
Cor. M. Hirschowitz, 45 Irving st., Boston, Mass.
Pr. E. Q. Anderson, Roxbury rd., New Britain, Conn.

Died from Wounds Received in Action
Lt. A. K. Atkins, 147 Mason terrace, Brookline, Mass.

Wounded Severely
Lt. R. G. Flynn, 44 Magazine st., Cambridge, Mass.
Pr. J. F. Cavanaugh, 44 Madison st., Quincy, Mass.
Pr. R. J. Crouch, 3 Oak st., Greenfield, Mass.
Pr. J. D. Duggan, 2 Hill st., Jewett City, Conn.
Pr. W. P. Gillespie, 4 Danforth pl., Roxbury, Mass.
Pr. H. G. Kane, 100 Campbell av., Hartford, Conn.
Pr. F. W. Kennedy, 900 Stafford st., Fall River, Mass.
Pr. D. J. Monette, 127 Belcher st., Chicopee Falls, Mass.
Pr. J. Reback, 340 W. Portsea st., New Haven, Conn.
Pr. T. J. Sullivan, 107 Douglas st., Manchester, N. H.
Pr. W. J. Vailancourt, 91 Greenfield st., Lawrence, Mass.
Pr. J. E. O'Clare, Grosvenor, Dale, Conn.

Missing in Action
Ser. F. Dukoski, 54 Vaughn st., Gardner, Mass.
Cor. R. J. Buckley, 205 Warren ave., Whitman, Mass.
Pr. N. Allen, Amahet station, New Bedford, Mass.
Pr. E. Chevalier, 33 Brown st., Fairhaven, Mass.
Pr. D. Cloutier, 161 Alberta av., Somerset, Mass.
Pr. C. R. Coupe, Swansea, Mass.
Pr. T. J. Devitt, 121 Dunley st., Providence, R. I.
Pr. P. L. Ellison, State av., Fall River, Mass.

Released for This Afternoon

Killed in Action
Pr. Philip J. O'Connell, 166 Bailey st., Lawrence, Mass.
Pr. Nelson E. La France, 20 Hazel st., Bedford, Conn.
Pr. Patrick Blatiano, 120 Washington st., Franklin, Mass.

Died From Accident and Other Causes
Pr. Russell G. Aray, 77 Elm st., Camden, Maine.

Wounded Severely
Lt. Clyde Fulmer Vance, Beacon av., Norwood, Mass.
Cor. Peter Tagan, 205 New Village st., Plainfield, Conn.
Pr. Joshua Bond, 10 Marcella st., Roxbury, Mass.
Pr. John P. Hill, Newport, Vt.
Pr. Joseph J. Kinahan, 8 Harris av., Jamaica Plain, Mass.
Pr. Harry Leach, Eden Mills, Vt.
Pr. Arthur E. Lord, Enfield, Mass.
Pr. Hugh Fitzsimmons, 439 Howard av., New Haven, Conn.
Pr. William F. Beebe, 404 Bank st., New London, Conn.
Pr. Frank R. Colangelo, 300 Orange st., Waterbury, Conn.
Pr. Albert Gorman, 403 Roxbury st., Keene, N. H.
Pr. Joseph Gyzonski, Box 54 Winchester, Mass.
Pr. Anton Kronieski, 9 Fifth st., Norwich, Conn.
Pr. Edward W. McCabe, 187 Linwood st., Brockton, Mass.
Pr. William J. McCoy, Box 282 Fall River, Mass.
Pr. Joseph B. McDermott, 318 Bassett st., New Haven, Conn.
Pr. Patrick McHugh, 26 Eighth st., Cambridge, Mass.
Pr. Charles McKenna, 1 Washington st., Canton, Mass.
Pr. John F. Maloney, 92 Warren st., Meriden, Conn.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined)
Pr. William Armstrong, 104 Summer st., Somerville, Mass.

Missing in Action
Pr. Sid Murphy, Sanatolia, Mass.
Pr. Perry W. Burns, 599 Maine st., Waltham, Mass.
Pr. Terrence O'Brien, 28 E. Main st., Gloucester, Mass.

Section No. 2, released this afternoon.

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary forces:

Killed in action, 95; missing in action, 65; wounded severely, 102; died of accident and other causes, two; died from wounds, 13. Total, 277.
The following from New England:

Killed in Action
Ser. P. F. Lyons, Beverly, Mass.
Pr. W. F. McMahon, Newtonville, Mass.
Pr. F. Majorski, Peabody, Mass.

Wounded Severely
Bug. M. Cohan, 13 Pearson st., Andover, Mass.
Pr. F. W. Rismiller, Beacon Falls, Conn.

MARINE CORPS CASUALTIES
Killed in action: Four; died of wounds received in action, one; wounded in action, severely, 24; wounded in action, degree undetermined, one; missing in action, one; in hands of enemy, one. Total, 32. The New England names:

Pr. D. E. Proctor, Cambridge, Mass.
Severely Wounded
Pr. T. W. Crane, Dorchester, Mass.

Severely Wounded. (Previously Reported Missing)
Cor. A. Florentine, Everett, Mass.

Died of Wounds Received in Action
Ser. D. P. Dutton, Boston.

Killed in Action
Pr. M. Coucco, East Boston.
Pr. J. F. Kennedy, South Boston.

Wounded Severely
Pr. W. H. Crane, Worcester.
Pr. J. C. Duroso, Cambridge.
Pr. A. F. Ferguson, Rutland, Mass.
Pr. J. A. Gallagher, Waltham, Mass.
Pr. C. W. Harris, North Grafton, Mass.
Pr. R. H. Knipe, Worcester.
Pr. S. Kosierski, Ware, Mass.
Pr. G. F. O'Leary, Acornville, Vt.
Pr. J. L. Pickett, 23 Roland st., Lynn, Mass.

Pr. J. H. Sheridan, Worcester.
Pr. E. M. Woods, Woburn, Mass.

CARE OF LOTS DISCUSSED
BY CEMETERY BOARD

In order that complaints resultant from individuals taking care of their own lots in local cemeteries may be avoided, the board of cemetery commissioners at a meeting last night, discussed a plan whereby this work should be centralized and come under the general supervision of the commission. William H. Rigby, chairman, said that he didn't wish to criticize firms which are now taking care of cemetery lots in a proper manner, but rather wished to protect them. Other lot owners, however, have hired men incompetent for the work and in some cases poor work is charged up to the cemetery commission. It is to avoid this evil that the commission wishes to have the care of lots centralized under the direction of the commission. Other matters taken up at the meeting were mostly of a routine nature. It was decided to build an addition to the commission's office building in the spring to provide a shelter in bad weather. Monthly bills were approved.

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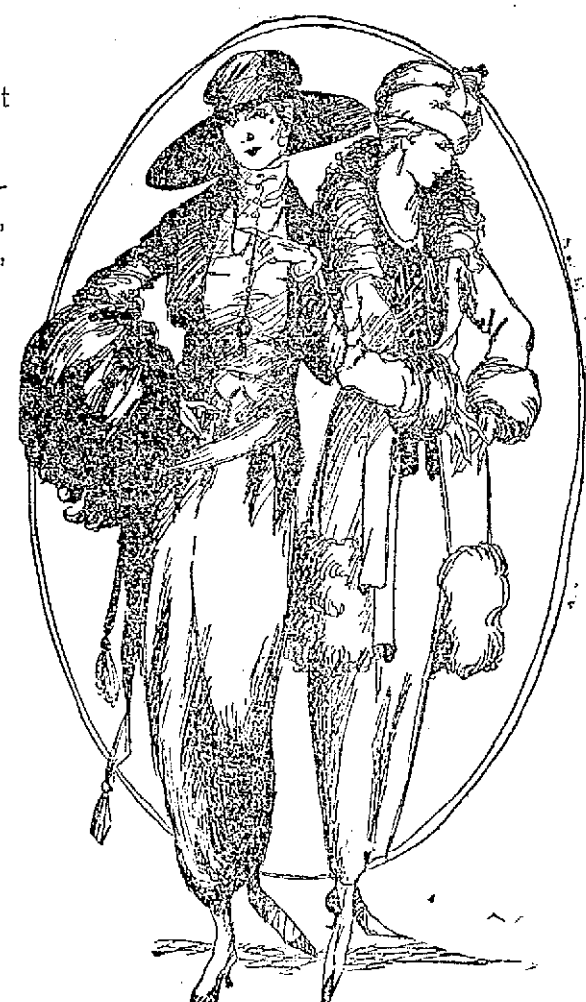
—Colors are the very newest, such as: Delphine, Algerian, Henna, Pekin, Plum, Bison, Green, Reindeer, Taupe, Brown, Burgundy, Black and the ever popular Navy.

—All sizes from 14 to 44.

—Examine them as to workmanship. Note the Satin and Peau de Cygne linings; the hand tailoring. Above all, note the quality of the material, and the low first prices. Compare them with suits that are priced elsewhere at 20 per cent. more than our regular prices. Then see what you can save during this sale while these special prices are in effect.

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Letters From Lowell Soldiers

George Grady of Gorham street has received the following letter from Private Jack O'Day of Co. B, 101st Military Police, now in France. Evidently Jack has been wounded because the letter was written in the base hospital. It is dated Aug. 24, and reads in part as follows:

Dear George: Just a line hoping to find you and all the rest of the bunch O.K. I myself am feeling fine just now and I expect to leave here any day. I have not heard from you for a long time, so you better get going and write a fellow a line or two.

Well, we are sure doing good work these days, and if it keeps going this way we will soon land in Berlin. I know the battle ground where they are fighting now, because I was there last year and I can follow it up very well. But to be sure did not I wish it were over for I have had all the war I want and more than I want. In the last battle I thought I was done for many times, but I was wounded only slightly so I should worry. Well, drop a line and let me know how everybody is. Tell the boys I was asking for them. Good luck for now.

JACK.

News From Camp Devens

INFLUENZA SITUATION IMPROVES AT DEVENS—AIRPLANE RADIO WORK A SUCCESS

CAMP DEVENS, Oct. 3.—Over in the trenches on the combat ranges at Still River the wireless was buzzing away yesterday. Messages concerning the disposition of the enemy forces, his guns, etc., were being received at the headquarters trench. It was the first chance the officers of the staff school have had to observe the work of any airplane in supplying information.

Both the airplanes which have been the star attractions in camp since their arrival two days ago were supposed to help in the study of liaison problems, which were taken up in the school yesterday morning. The airplane which was to have taken photographs of the enemy trenches did not go up, but the other came into play with its wireless apparatus and gave a convincing exhibition.

Maj. Gen. Henry P. McCain and his staff will review the 12th Division Saturday morning on the main parade field. This is the second time the division has been inspected and the officers look for a very decided improvement. In spite of the gripple epidemic

the men have been making rapid progress the last few weeks.

Maj. Percival Dove, division ordnance officer, returned yesterday from Washington, where he has been attending a staff school.

The bomb and grenade fields, the rifle range and drill ground were busy places yesterday. Maj. Gen. McCain was out watching the work.

An investigation is being conducted by Lieut. Col. Shaw, division inspector, into the case of Private Horace D. Stringer, Co. I, 73d Infantry. Stringer died of gripple several days ago and his body was supposed to have been sent to his home in Plymouth for burial. It is reported that the body of another influenza victim, Howard Stelinger, was shipped by mistake. Soldiers who knew Stringer have been sent to Plymouth to see the body.

The epidemic situation continues to improve. The number of deaths was only 30 for the last 24 hours. Patients are rapidly being discharged as cured. The following New Englanders died Monday:

William Fahay, Marlboro; William H. Conley, Pittsfield; Samuel R. Dant, Barre; Andrew Eadie, Lee; Adelard Colard, Shirley; William Stone, Ludlow; Charles A. G. Franzen, Quincy; Olaf H. Olson, Cambridge; Charles F. Hunt, Melrose; John J. Trainor, Lowell; Fred J. Schweitzer, Rockville, Ct.; Arthur Byers, Danforth, Me.; George E. Dion, Franklin, N. H.; Leroy A. Horna, East Wilton, Me.; Otto F. Bulick, Lisbon Falls, Me.; Clyde Brockott, Belfast, Me.; Carroll R. Wadleigh, Windsor, Vt.

BRIG. GENERAL SWEETSER GOING ACROSS

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—Governor McCall yesterday sent a telegram of congratulation to Brigadier General E. Leroy Sweetser, who has been transferred from Camp Wadsworth, N. C., to Camp Sevier, S. C., preparatory to going overseas. The governor's message read:

"Very greatly pleased to learn of your transfer, which apparently indicates your early departure for overseas service, for which you are so admirably fitted. It is significant that you are leaving from the vicinity of the camp which was for a time your headquarters during the Spanish war and where you gave distinguished service. You richly deserve the opportunity that is now being given you. My best wishes and those of the commonwealth go with you. We shall look eagerly for reports of your progress overseas."

TWO NEW ENGLAND MEN DECORATED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—General Pershing yesterday reported the award of the distinguished service crosses to 22 officers and enlisted men of the American expeditionary forces for extraordinary heroism in action. Those from New England are Lieutenant Harry S. Wheat of North Cambridge, Mass., and Lieutenant Chandler Sprague of Haverhill, Mass.

CAMPAIGN TO VOTE "NO"

Negative Vote Urged On All Amendments Submitted by Constitutional Convention

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Oct. 3.—The first step in a campaign to urge citizens to vote "No" at the state election on all the proposed amendments of the constitution submitted by the constitutional convention was taken this noon at a meeting of the Massachusetts club at Young's hotel.

Raymond L. Bridgman of Newton, who has been a legislative reporter for more than 30 years, and who was the official reporter of the convention, addressed the club and advanced the following reasons for a negative vote:

"The constitution demands thoughtful consideration, but this is impossible this year. Inquiry of many voters seems to prove that the average voter knows little or nothing of the amendments, and that men familiar with public affairs can name only four or five of them. It is impossible to give the voters adequate information about the whole. The official pamphlet printed by order of the convention has no presentation of facts or argument as basis of judgment. It contains arguments for some of the contested amendments, but nothing on the other side. A fact resented by many of those who have learned of it. The universal popular ignorance is sufficient reason for refusing to ratify any amendment, since it will be impossible to obtain an intelligent vote.

"Voters have been absorbed in the war and have not thought about the constitution. Newspapers, with only three material exceptions, have largely ignored the convention.

"Many voters are fighting for democracy abroad, or are in our camps, and cannot vote. Only yesterday the war department ruled that they will not be allowed to vote. Action ought not to be taken in their absence, for they will be foremost in public affairs after their return.

"Epidemic now fills our people with anxiety and stops all public meetings where the amendments might be discussed. Nothing should be put into the

constitution at a time when the people can give so little time to constitutional principles.

"Voters are justified in rejecting the judgment of the convention. It was truly stated by one of its leading members that it was not a constitutional but a political convention, not meaning a partisan one, but a body influenced by collisions of political forces, not elected for impartial discussion of constitutional principles.

"One of the highest officials of the state, whose opinion would be accepted by many voters as final, has said privately that the convention was inferior to the average legislature, that its distinguished members did not meet public expectation, and that if the people

had realized the way the convention was doing business they would have sent it home in disgrace.

"The convention neglected its duties shamelessly. Points or order of lack of quorum were frequently sustained and business was forced to stop until a quorum could be obtained. It was the common practice that sessions were delayed ten minutes or more because of lack of attendance, both morning and afternoon. Many roll-calls were decided by members who heard little or none of the debate, but came in only when the bell rang indicating that the roll was to be called. Important questions were thus ignorantly decided.

"In the later weeks the convention was appreciably demoralized and unfit for debate by its desire to get through and draw its pay. The previous question was often used and was popular for shutting off debate when members did not wish to listen and were impatient to vote.

"Absenteeism was flagrant and notorious in the case of many delegates. The moral quality of the convention

"Spanish" Influenza!

Some facts about it and how to prevent its spread

SPANISH INFLUENZA is a serious matter, and something of a mystery. It probably originated in the ranks of the German Army and in prison camps. It no doubt spread from there southward through Spain and northward into Holland, France, England and the Scandinavian countries. America was free from it until August 12th, when a Norwegian steamer arrived at an Atlantic port, having had over 200 cases on the voyage. Whether this marks the entry of the epidemic or not, the fact remains that "Spanish" Influenza is here and is a serious menace, much like the familiar Gripe.

The disease is not alarming in itself if proper precautions are taken. But without care, the high fever and the likelihood of pneumonia to follow make it extremely dangerous. The Surgeon-General of the Army recently issued the following rules by which the public may guard against the spread of this subtle enemy:

Rules to Avoid Respiratory Diseases (By the Surgeon General of the U. S. Army)

1. Avoid needless crowding—influenza is a crowd disease.
2. Smother your cough and sneezes—others do not want the germs which you would throw away.
3. Your nose, not your mouth, was made to breathe through—get the habit.
4. Remember the three C's—a clean mouth, clean skin, and clean clothes.
5. Try to keep cool when you walk and warm when you ride and sleep.
6. Open the windows—always at home at night; at the office when practicable.
7. Food will win the war if you give it a chance—help by choosing and chewing your food well.
8. Your fate may be in your own hands—wash your hands before eating.
9. Don't let the waste products of digestion accumulate—drink a glass or two of water on getting up.
10. Don't use a napkin, towel, spoon, fork, glass, or cup which has been used by another person and not washed.
11. Avoid tight clothes, tight shoes, tight gloves—seek to make nature your ally not your prisoner.
12. When the air is pure breathe all of it you can—breathe deeply.

Remember the Three C's which are given in these rules

Clean Mouths

Not simply the usual matter-of-fact brushing of the teeth, but thorough cleanliness. Gargle the throat with warm water and salt, or a little Colgate's Ribbon Dental Cream dissolved in water. Brush the teeth, gums, and tongue carefully morning, noon and night with Ribbon Dental Cream. It is not a cure-all—but it is a safe, sane, efficient dentifrice and will help prevent infection by keeping your mouth clean.

The present crisis emphasizes the good sense of a recent action by the National Dental Association who wrote to the War Industries Board as follows:

"In this day of recognition of the value of preventive medicine, it is accepted by dentistry, medicine, and boards of health, that a clean mouth is one of the essentials to prevent the carrying of contagious disease. To preserve a proper sanitary condition of the mouth, the use of a suitable brush and dentifrice is required."

See that your mouth is clean, Clean, CLEAN.

Clean Skins

And that means more than your usual habit in these days of epidemic. A thorough bath once a day is the least you should take. Use warm water if possible, and plenty of soap. Colgate's Colco Soap serves the purpose splendidly—a soap that is made entirely of vegetable oils. It lathers freely in hard or soft, hot or cold water and cleans thoroughly. If you haven't Colco, until you can get it, use any good soap—and once again, use plenty of it. Soap costs less than medicine.

As a still further precaution place a little Eucalyptol Vaseline in each nostril, morning, noon, and night, and rub the bridge of the nose with it when you go to bed.

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And along with clean clothes, clean skins, clean mouths for yourself and your family, observe the other simple rules given above. Start practicing these rules before you begin to "feel back-achy," to sneeze, to cough, to feel generally run down. The ounce of prevention is still worth the pound of cure. But if you do suspect that the germ has got into you, do not rely on these measures. Go to bed at once, and call your Doctor to avoid a bad fever and possible pneumonia.

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amending the constitution, one which has never failed to bring about any amendment desired by a majority of the people, we should vote "No" on every amendment, rather than to take the risk of adopting the many which would be highly dangerous to the real interests of the commonwealth."

HOTE.

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NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Judges of the United States circuit court acting as arbitrators in the controversy between the newspaper manufacturers and the federal trade commission for the price of newsprint paper yesterday handed down a decision awarding a price of \$2.50 per 100 pounds for rolled news in carload lots, f.o.b. mill.

Back to Old Prices

This restores the price current last spring which was reduced to \$2.10 by the federal trade commission. Under the arrangement with the manufacturers by which the federal trade commission fixed the price, it was agreed that if the manufacturers thought it was too low they could appeal to the circuit court of this district as arbitrators and that the attorney-general, acting as trustee of the people, could also appeal if he thought the price was too high. The manufacturers believed that the price fixed by the commission was too low.

The judges signing the award are Ward, Rogers, Hough, and Manton. They hold that the maximum selling price of newsprint for the manufacturers involved should be "based on an average of the reasonable capital investments, and fair manufacturing costs of the signatory parties." Two of the manufacturers are, however, excepted from this average, one of them producing little print paper and the value of the other not being known to the judges. They find that it now costs \$48 to manufacture one ton of paper in an average Canadian mill and that in the United States it costs \$5 more, "and the average cost for the eight manufacturers considered is more than \$50 a ton."

A fair annual return on capital invested is held as 15 per cent, requiring a profit of \$19.75 per ton, which, added to "this average cost of manufacture," say \$50, would bring the maximum selling price to \$70 per ton. Prices for 100 pounds for the different kinds of paper are fixed by the judges on this basis.

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "lumpy" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. 30c and 25c a box. All druggists.

Warner's MACARONI

CHILDREN LOVE IT

—And macaroni is more wholesome or delicious than this great muscle builder made from finest Durum wheat, the most glutenous of grains.

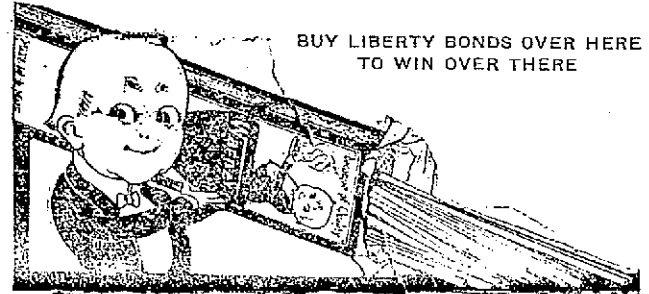
Warner's Macaroni is always the best and purest that can be made. Its yellow color is the gluten in the grain.

Grown up as well as children prefer its better taste and quality.

No extra price for its superior quality.

Ask your grocer for it.

The U. S. Food Administration has permitted the return to normal conditions in the manufacture of macaroni, therefore, there is no further need of abstinence in its use.



BUY LIBERTY BONDS OVER HERE TO WIN OVER THERE

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RETURNS TO SERVICE

Rear Admiral Rogers, 70, in Two Other Wars

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—Rear Admiral John A. Rogers, U.S.N., retired, 70 years old and with a notable record in two wars to his credit, returned to the navy for active service yesterday. He reported to Rear Admiral Spencer S. Wood, commanding the first naval district, and was assigned as commanding officer of the new naval unit at Harvard university. Since his retirement eight years ago, Rear Admiral Rogers has been famous at his country estate in Perryville, Md., but he said yesterday he could not remain out of service with a war going on. Rear Admiral Rogers had several commands during the Civil war and took part in the destruction of Admiral Cervera's squadron off Santiago in the Spanish-American war. He was com-

BIG INCREASE IN COST OF LIVING

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The cost of living in the Portland and Bath districts in the state of Maine jumped more than 60 per cent, since 1914, according to figures given out yesterday by government investigators. Since December, 1914, there was an increase of \$2.55 per cent in the cost of living in the Portland district and an increase of \$3.02 per cent in the Bath district. Since March, 1918, the cost advanced 20.16 per cent in the Bath district and 20.91 per cent in the Portland district.

Baltimore heads the high cost of living cities where investigation has been made. Philadelphia ranks second. In the Baltimore district the increase since December, 1914, was \$0.18 per cent, and \$4.62 per cent, since March, 1918. The increase in Philadelphia was 65.17 per cent, since 1914.

On 1-16 of an acre George F. Wilson of Sidney, Me., this year raised 23 bushels of large Pearl of Savoy potatoes, two bushels of seconds and two bushels of small ones. This is at the rate of 432 bushels an acre.

SAYS NEW ENGLAND WILL HAVE ENOUGH COAL

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Continuous operation of the war industries of New England is assured during the approaching winter unless an unforeseen catastrophe to the mines, the railroads or the coastwise shipping during October and November interrupts the production of coal and its transportation to that section in sufficient quantity to supply current requirements. This announcement was made yesterday afternoon by the fuel administration, which also counseled unremitting vigilance in the conservation of coal as absolutely necessary.

The fuel administration adds: "If this conservation be observed not even a perpetuation of the unprecedented severity of last winter's weather will prevent the furnaces of New England from operating at full blast, from the present time until the return of moderate weather, next spring."

The accumulation by New England during the past summer of sufficient coal to supply its minimum requirements during December, January and February, has been made possible by effective co-operation between the miners and federal bureaus.

"Transportation difficulties have controlled the policy of the fuel administration in providing the factories of New England with sufficient coal to insure them against a repetition of the conditions of last winter."

"It is common knowledge that the railroad facilities of New England are extremely limited and are wholly inadequate to meet the enormous demand upon them since the United States became a belligerent. It is known also that this fact necessitates the transportation by water of approximately 65 per cent of the bituminous coal consumed in that territory."

TO PURCHASE TOMATO OUTPUT OF MARYLAND

BALTIMORE, Oct. 3.—The federal government will spend \$16,000,000 in purchasing the tomato output in Maryland. While the price has not been finally agreed upon it is understood that the minimum will be \$1.90 per case of a dozen cans.

Negotiations have been pending for over a month between the federal government and the canners without arriving at a satisfactory conclusion.

CONTROL OF WIRE LINES

Government to Make No Distinction Between Non-Union and Union Help

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—In its operation of the telegraph and telephone system of the country, the post office department will make no distinction between non-union and union employees, according to an order from Postmaster General Burleson received last night. Employment will be granted, the order states, solely on the fitness of the applicants.

The order also described as false "representations being made through the country" that the government desires employees of the companies to join the Commercial Telegraphers' union, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers or any other union.

GOMPERTS RECEIVED BY KING ALBERT

HAVRE, Oct. 3.—Samuel Gomperts, president of the American Federation of Labor, was received yesterday by King Albert. Mr. Gomperts visited the Belgian front during the day and expressed his admiration for the splendid morale and valor of the Belgian troops.

PARISH GIFTS FOR REV. AND MRS. WEST

A reception was tendered Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Frank West of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church Thursday evening, Sept. 26. A large number of members and friends attended and the vestry, which was very prettily decorated with autumn foliage indicated the hearty welcome extended the pastor and wife. The young ladies connected with Mrs. Dillon's Sunday school class acted as the reception committee. Light refreshments were served and music was enjoyed, with Mrs. Lovett presiding at the victrola. A presentation speech was made by Senior Deacon Thorne when he presented Rev. Mr. West with a purse of gold as a token of love and esteem from the church people. Mrs. West

Don't Suffer From Piles

Send For Free Trial Treatment. No matter how long or how bad—go to your druggist today and get a 50 cent box of Pyramid Pile Treatment. It



The Pyramid Smiles From a Single Box. will give relief, and a single box often cures. A trial package mailed free in plain wrapper if you send us coupon below.

FREE SAMPLE COUPON
PYRAMID DRUG COMPANY,
60 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich.
Kindly send me Free sample of
Pyramid Pile Treatment, in plain wrapper.
Name.....
Street.....
City..... State.....

A Word of Precaution.

JUST wherein lies the reason for the use of vegetable preparations for infants and children?

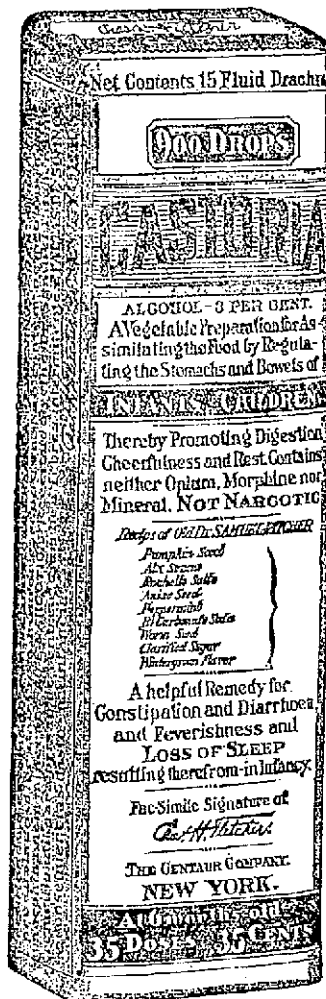
Why are any but vegetable preparations unsafe for infants and children?

Why are Syrups, Cordials and Drops condemned by all Physicians and most laymen?

Why has the Government placed a ban on all preparations containing, among other poisonous drugs, Opium in its variously prepared forms and pleasing tastes, and under its innumerable names?

These are questions that every Mother will do well to inquire about.

Any Physician will recommend the keeping of Fletcher's Castoria in the house for the common ailments of infants and children.



Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA



Letters from Prominent Druggists addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

S. J. Briggs & Co., of Providence, R. I., say: "We have sold Fletcher's Castoria in our three stores for the past twenty years and consider it one of the best preparations on the market."

Mansur Drug Co., of St. Paul, Minn., says: "We are not in the habit of recommending proprietary medicines, but we never hesitate to say a good word for Castoria. It is a medical success."

Hogeman & Co., of New York City, N. Y., say: "We can say for your Castoria that it is one of the best selling preparations in our stores. That is conclusive evidence that it is satisfactory to the users."

W. H. Chapman, of Montreal, Que., says: "I have sold Fletcher's Castoria for many years and have yet to hear of one word other than praise of its virtues. I look upon your preparation as one of the few so called patent medicines having merit and unhesitatingly recommend it as a safe household remedy."

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS BEARS

the
Signature
of

Chas. H. Fletcher

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY

Last Three Days

Of the BIG SALE at

BUY
LIBERTY
BONDS

ESTABLISHED 1875
Chalifoux's
CORNER

BUY
LIBERTY
BONDS

Pelletier's Entire
\$75,000 Stock

SHOP FRIDAY—DON'T WAIT—AVOID DELAY

The end of this sale is even more important than the beginning. It signals the termination of your opportunity to secure high grade merchandise at prices we believe cannot be repeated during the war.

The Pelletier stock is not shot to pieces: It was a tremendously big stock. It was complete in every detail, even including case after case of new goods in original unopened cases. It is true that some of the values are sold out. But the vast majority are here in good quantities at the original sale prices.

Don't be afraid that you will fail to find plenty of Pelletier's sale specials if you come before the store closes Monday evening. We originally expected to have a two or three weeks' sale. But the results are so far beyond our expectations that we must close the sale Monday evening.

MR. PELLETIER SOLD HIS STOCK TO CHALIFOUX'S WITHOUT ONE DOLLAR PROFIT TO HIMSELF.

CHALIFOUX VALUE IS SUPREME—ALWAYS

Put two and two together and you will understand why values are so remarkable at this event—

To Our Best Knowledge and Belief the Biggest Sale of the Largest Stock in Lowell's History

was given a beautiful bouquet of flowers from the members of Mrs. Hillman's Sunday school class, Miss Doris England making the presentation speech.

LIQUOR IN DRY STATE

Dover Considering Sale to Grippe Patients on Doctor's Suggestion

DOVER, N. H., Oct. 3.—Authorization of the sale of liquor as a means of stopping the grippe epidemic is being considered by the city authorities, at the suggestion of doctors, who declare that as there are not enough doctors and nurses to attend all urgent cases, the temporary legalizing of the sale of intoxicants to those in the early stages of the disease would probably help. Mayor Smalley may call a special meeting of the city council to act on the matter.

Doctors say that pneumonia patients are increasing, but new cases of grippe are diminishing. Within the past 24 hours 10 deaths have been reported in the city from pneumonia.

POLICE COURT

Drunks and Non-Support Case Use Little Time

There were but five new offenders brought before Judge Enright at the local session of the police court this morning and their cases were disposed of in brief time. James W. Creighton, who admitted being drunk, was sentenced to two months in jail. Richard M. Steward, for the same offence, was continued until Saturday morning.

Joseph A. Barry was charged with a statutory offence and after denying his guilt, his case was continued until Oct. 14. Harold Charles, for a similar offence, had his case put over until tomorrow morning.

William J. Mooney was brought in on a complaint of non-support of his wife and minor children and he denied his guilt. After hearing the evidence, however, the court found otherwise and ordered the defendant committed to the common jail for a term of three months. An appeal was taken.

SISTERS OF CHARITY THANK CAMPAIGNERS

The Sisters of Charity, who are in charge of the French-American orphanage in Pawtucket street, wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to their benefactors, that is the residents of this city, who so readily responded in the recent \$50,000 campaign for the institution. The sisters are thankful to the workers who spared no time or effort to make the campaign a successful one and in behalf of the little orphans they extend all heartfelt thanks.

DRAFT AND HARVEST POSTPONE COURTS

The opening of the civil session of the superior court which was scheduled to take place in this city next Monday, has been postponed for a week according to information received by local lawyers today. There are three reasons given for the postponement of court, one on account of the influenza epidemic, another because the lawyers have been very busy helping registrants fill out their questionnaires and therefore have had no time to prepare their cases and the other, because of the fact that there are several farmers on the jury and they are now busy harvesting

their crops. It was also learned that the two other sessions of the superior court, which were scheduled to open in Cambridge next Monday have also been postponed and there is some talk to the effect that the civil sessions of the superior court may not open until the first Monday in November.

The inventor of the Bell telephone, Alexander Graham Bell, has another invention to his credit that very few know of, yet it is in constant use in France. It is called the "telephone probe," and absolutely locates the exact position of a bullet in the human body.



Better than Bar Soap or Soap Paste

To remove the stains of work or recreation hours—grease, grime and dirt—there is nothing quite as efficient as

MULE TEAM

BO RAXO

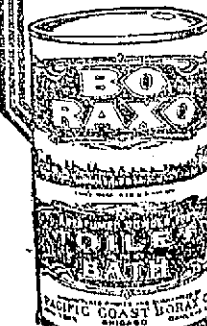
Bath and Toilet Powder

The Borax in BO-RAXO cleanses without scrubbing. It dissolves the dirt. Gets down into the pores and removes the grime that sticks and stains. Delightful in the bath. Kills perspiration odors.

At Your Dealers

Sold in convenient sifter-top cans for individual use. More economical than soap.

15c and 30c



26 KILLED AS TRAIN SMASHES INTO CROWD

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 26.—Twenty-six munition workers are dead and between 18 and 30 injured, four probably fatally, as the result of a north-bound Pennsylvania railroad passenger train crashing into a crowd of McMiller Interstate Powder Co. workmen at Sector 19, miles south of here, early today.

Railroad officials say many of the workmen alighted from the local train before it stopped and in a heavy fog stepped over on the north bound track when the passenger train struck them.

FUNERALS

RODGER—The funeral services of Andrew Y. Rodger took place yesterday afternoon at the Elliot Congregational church, Rev. Herbert A. Barker, pastor, officiating. The Mendocino male quartet sang appropriate selections. Killwining lodge of Masons was represented by Mayor Perry D. Thompson, Harry L. Parkhurst, Edward W. Dooley, Louis O. Hunt, William A. Lampton, Franklin E. Johnson and Clifford L. Hayes, who acted as ushers at the church and also as bearers. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Barker. The funeral was in charge of Charles L. Dyer of Haverhill and Clifford L. Hayes, under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

SOUZA—The funeral of Mrs. Manuel Souza took place yesterday afternoon from her home at Cherry street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

FINN—The funeral of Edward Finn took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 67 Liberty street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends, including a number from out of town. At St. Peter's church services were held. The bearers were Bartholomew Toolan, Joseph Mulvaney, John Hunt, Patrick Hayden, Thomas Davey and Timothy Meahan. At the grave in St. Patrick's cemetery Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I., read the committal prayers. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

SLEIN—The funeral of Owen P. Slein took place yesterday from his home, 14 Adams avenue, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. At St. Columba's church a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Francis McNeil. The bearers were John Harrington, Edward McDermott, Jeremiah Minahan and John McCarthy. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Fr. McNeil read the committal prayers. Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons had charge.

O'HARE—The funeral of Patrick Joseph O'Hare took place yesterday from his home, 895 Middlesex street. At St. Patrick's church a funeral mass was sung by Rev. James Kerrigan. The bearers were Charles Woods, Albert Savageau, Thomas O'Hare and John O'Hare. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Fr. Kerrigan read the committal prayers. Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons had charge.

BROSNAN—The funeral of William Brosnan took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his niece, Mrs. Timothy Kennedy, 29 Prouty street.

TAKE HAIR OUT NOT OFF THE SKIN

Hair is bound to grow out sooner and stiffer when merely removed from the surface of the skin. The only common-sense way to remove hair is to attack it under the skin. DeMiracle, the original sanitary liquid, does this by absorption.

Only genuine DeMiracle has a money-back guarantee in each package. At toilet counters in 50c, \$1 and \$2 sizes, or by mail from us in plain wrapper on receipt of price.

FREE book mailed in plain sealed envelope on request. DeMiracle, 125th St. and Park Ave., New York.

SPECIAL
THURSDAY
and FRIDAY

OPEN
THURSDAY
ALL DAY

FISH

On the square. Direct from the piers to Lowell's most sanitary fish department.

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| 11c HADDOCK, fresh dressed, lb. | 8c |
| 10c HERRINGS, large cape, lb. | 8c |
| 18c FLOUNDERS, fresh black back, lb. | 15c |
| 30c MACKEREL, fresh, not frozen, lb. | 25c |
| 25c WHITE FISH, fresh sliced, lb. | 21c |
| 20c FINNAN HADDIES, lb. | 15c |

Halibut, Sword and White Meat.

Fairburn's Market

12-14 MERRIMACK SQ.

Fish Dept. On the Square

BUY BONDS BUY TO KEEP

CHERRY & WEBB IS AN OASIS

In a Desert of Rising Costs

Take the Beaten Path to This Great Store of Surpassing Service and Learn What REAL Values Really Are. Be on Hand Friday and Saturday.



For Constipation
Carter's Little
Liver Pills
will set you right
over night.
Purely Vegetable
Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price

Carter's Iron Pills

Will restore color to the faces of those who lack iron in the blood, as most pale-faced people do.

At St. Columba's church services were held. Rev. Francis McNeil officiating. The bearers were Patrick, William, Stephen and Private Cornelius Brosnan, the latter of the utility department. Camp Devens, all nephews of the deceased. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal services were read by Fr. McNeil. Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons had charge.

PREITAS—The funeral of Maria Freitas took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, John and Maria Freitas, 234 Appleton street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

SARDINHA—The funeral of Abbe Sardinha took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, John and Maria Sardinha, 121 South street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church at 4 o'clock. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

DAVIS—The funeral services of Frederick O. Davis were held at the funeral chapel of Undertaker Herbert A. Simmons, 96 Branch street yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Elmer F. West, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church. Burial was in the Edison cemetery, where Rev. Mr. West read the committal services at the grave. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Herbert A. Simmons.

CRANDALL—The funeral of Charles S. Crandall was held from the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor of the First Primitive Methodist church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery.

LEBLANC—The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Leblanc took place yesterday from her home, 18 Alden avenue. At St. Louis church, a solemn funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. Eugene Vincent, assisted by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labossiere, as deacon and Rev. F. X. Gauthier as sub-deacon. The bearers were Joseph and Xavier Aubry, Etienne and Noel Champagne, Barthelme Courtemanche and Felix Gervais. Burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Vincent read the committal prayers. Undertakers Amadee Archambault & Sons were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

GRENIER—The funeral of Mrs. Maria Greiner took place yesterday from her home in Chelmsford Centre. At Notre Dame de Lourdes church, a funeral mass was sung by Rev. J. B. A. Barrette, O.M.I. The bearers were Honore Courtemanche, Joseph Pitreux, Adelard Dufault, Alfred and Henry Greiner and Louis Goyette. Burial took place in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I. The funeral arrangements were under the direction of Undertakers Amadee Archambault & Sons.

BARRET—The body of John Barret.

"Where do you get such lovely Coats? I thought it would be hard to find what I wanted this year." This is a sample of what our salesladies hear daily. Yes, it is hard to get better coats today. But we have them. We bought them early—we contracted for them when they were more plentiful and when the price range was comfortable. But buy yours now—buy it Friday or Saturday sure.

FOR MISSES AND WOMEN

135 COATS Of Velour, Cheviot and Burella. Some plain, others fancy belt effects. Many have deep self collars. Others with collars of fur or plush. Some half lined—others are lined throughout. The colors are Brown, Green, Navy, Taupe, Burgundy, etc. There's a wonderful range of coats in this lot worth \$25. Buy yours here for **\$19.75**

158 COATS Of Silvertone, Wool Velour, Army Cloth, Broadcloth, Heavy Coatings, etc. Collars of Seal Plush, Kid, Coney, Opossum, Beaver Plush and Big variety of models in smart belted effects. Worth all of \$29.75. Buy yours here for **\$25.00**

123 COATS In Pam Pom, Silvertone, Wool Velour, Heavy and Heavy Weight Coatings. Big assortment insuring pleasing choice. Fur Collars, Plush Collars, Self Collars. Belted and loose models. Worth up to \$42.75. Buy yours here for **\$35.00**

BE ON HAND FOR SUITS

FOR MISSES AND WOMEN

146 SUITS In Wool Velour, Burella Cloth, Poplin, Serge, etc. Full flare skirts, \$2 to \$6 inch coats in smart belted models made plain or trimmed with plush. All the wanted colors, including Green, Burgundy, Taupe, Grey and Navy. Worth \$30.00 to \$32.50. Buy yours here for **\$25.00**

132 SUITS A Big Range in Poplin, Burella, Serge, Delhi Cloth and Novelty Woolens in Navy, Blue, Taupe, Brown, Green, Grey and two tone effects. Many are effectively trimmed with fur. Excellent tailoring. Worth \$35. Buy yours here for **\$29.75**

98 SUITS In Velour, Poplin, Silvertone, Broadcloth and Serge. Velvet trimmed models, fur trimmed styles and plain tailored effects in Oxford, Brown, Green, etc. You will find the variety really wonderful. Worth \$42.50. Buy yours here for **\$35.00**

Bring the Children and the Growing Girls Here Tomorrow

PRETTY MODELED CHILDREN'S COATS

Hundreds of them in Broadcloth, Wool Velour, Silvertone, Plush and Velvet. In sizes from 2 to 6. You'll find splendid selections at 6.98, \$7.98, \$8.98, \$10.98, \$12.98 up to \$25.00.

AND PLENTY OF COATS FOR GROWING GIRLS

In Plush, Cheviot, and Heavy Coatings. Both in plain tailored and dress-up styles. Would be exceptional values at \$15.00. Will be selling Friday and Saturday for \$10.98

MIDDY BLOUSES

This store is Lowell headquarters for regulation Middy Blouses, such as the reliable Jack Tar and Saratoga Brands.

WHITE TWILL JEAN MIDDY BLOUSES

Some with Navy Blue Plannel Serge Collars and Cuffs, made in regulation sailor styles. Priced very, very low at \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.49 and \$2.98. Navy Blue Serge Middy Blouses at \$3.98 to \$9.75

Navy Blue Serge	Navy Blue Serge
Pleated Skirts for	Gymnasium Bloomers
girls up to 18 years at	Sizes from 6 to 20 yrs.
\$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98 and	Extra special values at
\$5.98.	\$3.98 and \$4.98.

TWO MATCHLESS WAIST VALUES

Just arrived. One lot of Linerie Waists. Lace trimmed, embroidered, tailored and semi-tailored. They are worth everywhere \$2.50. To sell here at **\$1.50**

And here's a very special offer in Crepe de Chine and Georgette Embroidered and Lace Trimmed. It is a very striking value at as high as \$5.00. To sell here at **\$3.98**

(Second Floor)

JERSEY DRESSES

They came in yesterday—the result of a lucky purchase. These lovely dresses incorporate all that is new in color, style and rich finish. Graceful, pretty and charming models. Most of these are sample dresses. We could not buy them to sell for less than \$29.50. But we are going to let you have them at.

\$24.50, \$29.50, \$32.50
(Second Floor)

RAINCOATS

Avoid sickness. Keep yourself dry. We are showing a new lot of Fall Styled Raincoats. Splendid values. The price of Raincoats is steadily rising. Buy yours now.

\$5.98, \$7.50 to \$25.00
(Basement)

We Just Couldn't Resist Public Appreciation

The appreciation shown our offer of coats at \$15 in the basement was just too splendid to let die for lack of more of these wonder values. And so tonight and tomorrow more go on sale. We just had to take more of them from reserved stock which were marked from \$22.50 and put them in the basement at \$15.00.

On Sale in the Basement
140 More

Coats

\$15

YOU NEVER SAW SO MANY STRIKING BARGAINS IN YOUR LIFE AS OUR BASEMENT IS SHOWING

24 DOZEN NEW BEACON BLANKET BATHROBES

Bought and paid for six months ago so as to save on the advance. Select one today, it will pay you. \$2.98, \$3.98, \$5.98, \$7.98 and \$10.00

HOUSE DRESSES

Here are a fresh lot of those House Dresses which have been selling so fast in the basement. Extra good quality Percales. Well made. Sizes up to 46. You would buy them quick if you saw them at \$2.50. And they are selling at ONLY \$1.29

CHERRY & WEBB

12-18 JOHN STREET

a resident of Portsmouth, N. H., was sent to his home today by Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

WILSON—The funeral services of George H. Wilson, who died at Greenfield, Mass., Sept. 26, were held yesterday afternoon at the grave in the Edison cemetery. Rev. Appleton Grannis, pastor of St. Anne's Episcopal church, officiated. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

TAYLOR—The funeral of Miss Mary A. Taylor took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from her home, 46 Robert street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Columba's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Francis McNeil. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass, the solos being given by Miss Frances Tisho. Miss Catherine Wholey presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes and of spiritual bouquets. The bearers were Edward Cudmore, William Flannick, John Prue and Paul Taylor. At the grave Rev. Fr. McNeil read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

Cadum Ointment

brings nights of peaceful rest to people who have suffered agonies from skin troubles. It stops the itching at once and is very soothing and healing wherever the skin is irritated or inflamed. Much suffering from skin troubles may be avoided by the timely use of this wonderful remedy. Cadum Ointment is good for eczema, pimples, blotches, chafings, piles, rash, scabs, ringworm, cuts, sores, burns, insect bites, etc.

the grave Rev. Fr. McNeil read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

REYNOLDS—The funeral of Miss Catherine Reynolds took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from her home, 63 Broadway, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Timothy Callahan, the choir under the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson rendering the Gregorian mass. Mrs. James Morris and Mr. Daniel S. O'Brien sustaining the solos. Mr. Michael J. Johnson presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes and of spiritual bouquets. The bearers were George Brennan, Donalick Molloy, John Thompson and Roddy Cavanaugh. At the grave Rev. Fr. Callahan

read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

LAPPIN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Lappin took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from her late home, 87 Elm street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 10:30 o'clock, services were held by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. There were many beautiful floral tributes and numerous spiritual offerings. The bearers were Mr. Arthur Flaherty, Joseph Duggan, John P. Roane, John McGinnis, James Kelly and Bartholomew Mullin. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

LYNE—The funeral of Josephine W. Lyne, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Lyne, took place this afternoon from the home of her parents, 93

Kinsman street, at 4 o'clock. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay.

McGLINCHEY—The funeral of Mrs.

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WOMEN "MAN" GERMAN SHIPS

German women are used for arduous work of firing and trimming ships of the merchant marine—what remains of it in commission. This picture shows a group of these shiphands together with their officers, who are about the only male help left to the merchant ships. The boat shown here operates between Germany and Sweden.

BAG 125,000 HUNS

2844 Officers and 120,192

Men Captured by Allies

From Sept. 10 to Sept. 30

1600 Cannon Also Taken—

254,012 Huns Taken Since

July 15th

PARIS, Wednesday, Oct. 2.—From Sept. 10 to Sept. 30, the allied armies in France and Belgium have captured 2844 officers, 120,192 men, 1600 cannon and more than 6000 machine guns, according to an official statement issued here tonight.

From July 15 to Sept. 30, the allies captured 5518 officers; 248,194 men; 3669 cannon, more than 22,000 machine guns and hundreds of mine throwers.

TROTSKY ISSUES ORDER

Demands That All Women of

Kazan Be Delivered Into

Hands of Red Guards

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 3.—War Minister Trotsky, according to the social revolutionist newspaper Narodno Delo of Petrograd, has issued an order that all the women of Kazan be delivered into the hands of the Red Guards.

Kazan, an important junction point on the river Volga, was held for several months by the Czech-Slovaks. This is probably the pretext for the reported order of Trotsky.

233 NEW CASES

Continued

of the city, according to a decision reached this morning by the board of health following communications received from Henry B. Endicott of the Massachusetts public safety committee and Dr. John S. Hitchcock, director of the division of communicable diseases of the state board of health.

The first communication was received from Mr. Endicott in the form of a telegram reading as follows:

Hon. Henry D. Thompson, Chairman, Committee of Public Safety, Lowell, Mass.

Believe there will be great risk in churches holding services next Sunday. Leading doctors on our board all agree on this. Advise all churches in your vicinity to this effect.

H. B. ENDICOTT.

Mayor Thompson was about to summon local pastors to put the matter up to them when a call from Dr. Hitchcock of the state board of health was received and the doctor said it was the belief of the state board that there was no necessity of ordering the churches closed and that such action might cause unnecessary alarm.

Thus the board of health was given contrary directions and it was finally decided to abide by the advice of the state board of health and leave the matter wholly up to the judgment of the local pastors.

With the exception of the churches, all local gatherings of any nature whatever are called off indefinitely. In Boston the theatres are ordered closed until Monday, Oct. 14, but in Lowell no definite date for the reopening of schools or theatres is assigned. They may be opened on short notice.

At the time of going to press, the local pastors had not taken any definite action as a body on the closing proposition.

It is believed that if church services are kept at a minimum as they were last Sunday, churches may be opened without great danger. The matter is wholly up to local pastors.

More Cases Reported

There was another jump in the number of new cases of influenza reported at the board of health office today. Up to early afternoon, 233 had been reported in comparison with 65 at the same time yesterday. The total to date is 2563. There were four more deaths reported today, bringing the total to 75.

Hospital Ready

The isolation hospital in Varnum avenue is very nearly ready to receive patients, according to Mayor Thompson. The sewerage work under the direction of Commissioner Charles J. Morse has been completed and an ingenious device has been conceived and executed to take care of what at first seemed a puzzling situation.

A temporary hoghead contrivance which will take care of all sewage that may accumulate for some time to come has been placed in position and as far as this phase of preparation goes, the hospital can open at a minute's notice.

Mayor Thompson said this afternoon that influenza patients who are taken in at the hospital will be allowed to stay there only while they are actually bed-ridden and as soon as they are able to walk around, they will be sent home to make room for other sufferers.

For this reason the people who go to the hospital will be fed in bed from the diet room and this means that the large dining room may be used for cots. Thus a large ward will be provided. Besides the main building of the group, two of the shafts will be used and these alone will take care of 50 or 60 patients.

The mayor intends to open the hospital either tomorrow or Saturday unless there is a decided change for the better in conditions about the city.

DEMANDS AN IMMEDIATE REPLY FROM GERMANY

LONDON, Wednesday, Oct. 2.—Owing to Germany's continued failure to ratify the exchange of prisoners' agreement with Great Britain and her raising of questions concerning prisoners in China and the release of U-boat crews which Great Britain declines to do, the British government has dispatched to Berlin a peremptory demand for an immediate answer.



THESE WOMEN GUIDE WAR MOTHERS

Women of America, millions of them, will find keen interest in deliberations of this group whenever it assembles. It is the national executive committee of the War Mothers. From left to right they are: Mrs. Robert Carlton Morris, Toledo, O., president; Mrs. John R. Mitchell, Evansville, Ind., secretary; Mrs. J. E. Powers, Missoula, Mont.; Mrs. G. W. Collins, Meyersdale, Pa.; Mrs. Charles T. Hammer, St. Joseph, Mo.; Mrs. Selden I. Clawson, Salt Lake City, Utah; Mrs. Wm. N. Irving, Boston, Mass.; Mrs. T. Parkin Scott, Baltimore, Md.; and Mrs. F. L. Dann, Houston, Texas.

WHY MARY M. MINTER BUYS LIBERTY BONDS

I guess I'm a bit emotional of temperamental on this subject of Liberty bonds and my reasons for buying them, and generally get worked up mightily over it. When it comes to any subject touching upon the protection of America or American ideals or dealing with the atrocities of the Ger-



MARY MILES MINTER

mans I just can't help waving the torch and dancing the war dance a few measures.

I buy Liberty bonds because the government won't sell me a cannon and let me take it across to Germany and use it myself on these nasty baby-killers. If they let me do that, I wouldn't buy a Liberty bond because a Liberty bond means that I'll get my money back some day with interest on it and the way I feel about it, I don't want anything back that I can send to the Germans. They're welcome to all I've got in the shape of shells and bullets, but since a girl is not allowed to do this then I must do the next best thing and make it possible for someone else to take the cannons and the bullets over there.

Honestly, my reason for buying every bond I can stagger under is not because they are the best investments in the world, because they have all the safety of the greatest security behind them or because they pay good interest and are free from most forms of taxation (which is reason enough, goodness knows, for the fellow who squeezes the dollar) but I buy them because I have a mother and a sister and a grandmother; I buy them because I know a little year-old baby that lives next door; I buy them because I have a saw—(but that's nobody's business) and every time I look at them I say, "Just because you're mine and I love you doesn't make you any different before God from the mothers and sisters and grandmothers and babies and—" you know, everything that lived in Belgium and France when the war started, and every time I look into their eyes, I can imagine that it wasn't Belgium at all that was raided, but America, and I can see those blood-soaked Germans doing to my people what they did to others and—there, there, I'm getting excited. All the same, I feel that if it hadn't been for those poor people who were sacrificed it might have been my own people—that even yet if the Germans aren't wiped off the face of the earth there is still a chance of its being my people—my people—the people I know and love and live with, and I see red!

I'm a baseball fan. Aren't you? Ever since I was knee high to a duck and ran away from home and played with the boys on the vacant lots I have loved baseball. We used to buy bats for a quarter each—not very good bats—but good enough. I remember I had a sweetheart then who was the best batter in the lot. I bought him a bat—he hit the ball with it so hard that it broke my nice shiny red club and I cried but he knocked the ball so far we made four home runs in a row and I was so happy I kissed him even while I cried over the bat. I often wish I could buy baseball bats instead of bonds and hit the Germans with them so hard I'd break every bat over their heads and drive them clear off the lot. Somebody told me that every quarter nowadays paid for five bullets. That's the real reason I buy bonds.

ALLARD NOT BLAMED

Court Frees Lunch Man Who

Tried to Catch Auto Thief

G. Albert Allard, a local business man, who was being held for manslaughter in connection with the death of Albert H. Fenn, former superintendent of the York club, which occurred Sept. 17 as a result of an automobile accident on the Pawtucket boulevard, was discharged in police court this morning after the finding of the inquest presided over by Associate Justice John J. Pickman had been filed.

The finding of Judge Pickman is in part as follows:

"On the morning of Tuesday, the tenth day of September last past, about 1.45 o'clock in the morning that an automobile that was owned by said G. Albert Allard was being operated by him on the state highway, in the said town of Tyngsboro about a mile westerly of the entrance of the Country club, that by reason of the fog that obscured the view of said operator, the said automobile was turned from the main highway into a branch road, the said operator being mistaken in the way; that the said automobile ran from such branch road into a small tract of land adjoining said branch road and skidded thereon and ran into a tree, whereby the said automobile was overturned and the occupants therein were thrown out upon the ground, the said Albert H. Fenn receiving injuries thereby that subsequently caused his death."

"I find that the death of said Albert H. Fenn, was not occasioned by the criminal negligence of said G. Albert Allard, the owner and operator of said automobile, or by the criminal negligence of any other person or persons."

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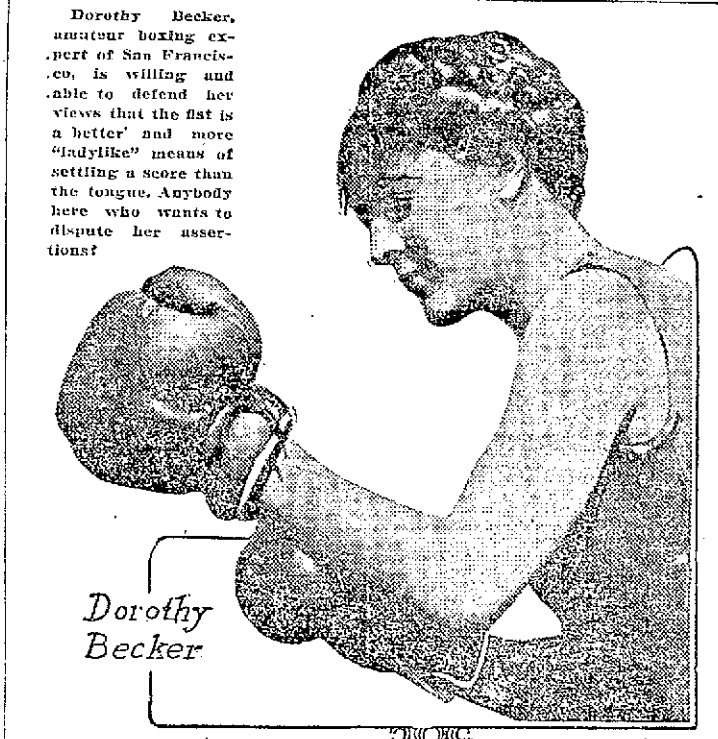
Mr. Louis J. Desrosiers, buyer for the goods' furnishings department at the J. L. Chaffoux Co., and Miss Margaret Murray, a charming young woman of Pelham, N. H., were married yesterday at St. Patrick's church, Pelham, the officiating clergyman being the pastor, Rev. Fr. Loughlin. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hart. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, and later Mr. and Mrs. Desrosiers left on an extended wedding trip to New York, Philadelphia and Atlantic City. Upon their return they will make their home in Pelham, N. H.

Smith-Therien

Mr. Charles J. Smith of this city and Miss Elizabeth M. Therien of Braintree were married Sept. 30 at the First Baptist church parsonage by Rev. A. C. Archibald. The couple were unattended.

KING ALFONSO IS SERIOUSLY ILL

MADRID, Wednesday, Oct. 2.—(By The Associated Press.)—Physicians attending King Alfonso, who is suffering from influenza, issued a bulletin tonight stating that his temperature during the day was 101.3 and tonight was 102.2.



Dorothy Becker

"UPPER-CUT" CURE FOR SHREW-ISHNESS AND SLANDEROUS TONGUE

By Dorothy Becker, Amateur Boxing Expert and Former Swimming Champion

A blow on the point of her jaw by some other woman's fist would be of big benefit to almost every American woman.

And it would be equally beneficial for her to know that she could reciprocate with a smart upper-cut whenever occasion demanded.

To hit and to be hit—that would elevate our sex to a new plane of morals and conduct.

Adoption of man's most effective and primitive means of self defense and offense would revolutionize the relation of women to women. It would literally punch it to a higher level.

The punch of women, for women by women, so that real gentility shall not perish from the sex.

Shrewishness, chronic sarcasm, the slanderous stabs of an unbridled tongue—sins and vices for which we are now most criticised—would vanish before the inclination, the courage and the ability of women to strike one another a telling blow in defense or vindication.

The irresponsible gossip who wrecks her own and others' happiness through a scurrilous word would think twice before she spoke—would be tamed by the fear of physical violence.

"But a blow!" most women gasp. "So unladylike, so brutal, so undignified!"

hind the hard softness of feminine "defensiveness."

It's no more, if no less, unladylike than the cheap and safe retellings through which the civilized woman now settles her scores.

Men respect one another more and are more civil because the punch of righteous wrath is always ready to counter the insulting word or act.

Women, on the other hand, have battled for ages with their tongues and wits, and I believe it has tended to get up a moral dabbiness together with physical softness.

I am not advocating pugacity, but I believe women would in general be mentally and morally elevated by the fear of immediate physical violence as punishment for the sins of a venomous tongue.

It would at least teach discretion, that quality which women will have to cultivate to be successful in the business world they are now entering in such vast numbers.

We've got to change our present conceptions of what is "ladylike" and of what may be done with impunity under that tradition if as a sex we are going to square "dignity" with moral soundness.

If the change doesn't spring from the fountains of real gentleness it will have to come through the blow and the fear of the blow.

Few women have ever delivered the blow of anger. Fewer still have ever felt it. Those who perhaps need it most, never. It would clear the murky skies of feminine relations like a bolt of lightning.

That is why I am advocating the physical effort through a new womanly art of self defense.

The substitutes we use today are neither womanly, nor self defensive.

BUILDING SHIPS FOR OUR DEFINITE PEACE NEAR SEE WRITING ON WALL

MERCHANT MARINE

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—New York and Noank, the world's metropolis and a Connecticut hamlet, are building ships for the American merchant marine. Their methods of tackling the job are as unlike as the two communities. New York's ship construction activities are centered at Shooter's Island in the lower bay, where 7500-ton steel freighters are erected at a plant created out of the stress of war and equipped with mechanical devices of the last word in modernity.

At Noank, in a yard made famous by "Deacon" Robert Palmer 50 years ago, wooden hulls are being built by artisans who have more use for the adze and the caulking mallet than for forges and cranes.

Nearly all the shipyards on the North Atlantic coast have come into being since the American declaration of war. Many are temporary, to be scrapped when peace is proclaimed. But where the Mystic river flows into Long Island Sound at Noank, Deacon Palmer built yachts, schooners, barges and lighters for half a century. Around the plant grow a community of ship carpenters, whose sons became ship carpenters, and the second and third generations of these Yankee craftsmen readily adapting their calling to the needs of the nation in war time, are producing 3500 freighters of the Ferris type generally built in the Emergency Fleet corporation's wooden yards.

New York, the nation's greatest port, thronged with the picturesque shipping of a world at war, is a powerful factor in the Emergency Fleet program, yet its largest yards are in the territory of New Jersey. Within the Empire state is a single group of ship production plants, on Staten Island and its tiny neighbor, Shoter's Island, in addition to yards at Newburg on the Hudson, Port Jefferson on Long Island Sound and Buffalo on Lake Erie.

The Standard Shipbuilding corporation, at Shooter's Island, operates a plant with six ways. Seven thousand men are employed, some departments working day and night, and 7500-ton steel freighters, eight of which have been launched, are turned out ready for sea. Here on the doorstep of the metropolis, the labor problem is acute. Skilled workers—shipfitters, engine and boiler makers—are at a premium. The labor turnover is 3 per cent and absenteeism averages 14 to 18 per cent a day, seriously retarding production.

Nearby on Staten Island the Downey yards, with four ways, have launched a steel freighter of the type produced at the Standard plant, and four other have been laid down. Two thousand men are employed. The Staten Island Shipbuilding company has completed four 3500-ton steel ships and has launched a fifth cargo vessel. With 1500 workers, a ship every two months is the program. Wooden ships of 3500-ton are being constructed at the Johnson yards on the same waterfront, with 1800 men at work on three ways. One vessel has been launched.

For the first time in history, ocean going steamships are being built on the Hudson river, at Newburg. A 3000 steel cargo carrier was launched on Labor Day and four others are under construction. Employing 2000 men, the Newburg Shipyards corporation has laid out its yards, schooled untrained workers in the shipbuilding craft and started production, all in nine months.

At Port Jefferson the Bayles shipyard, with 700 men, is at work on two 5000-ton freighters and two ocean going tugs. Difficulty in obtaining adequate labor will be overcome, it was stated, by immediate erection of houses and dormitories.

Nearly 400 miles from the coast, the American Shipbuilding company, with a history dating back to 1812, is building at Buffalo steel freighters for ocean traffic. With 1800 workers, the yards have launched a vessel of 3250-ton and four others are on the ways, but the 4000-ton type has been adopted as the standard. Here also Great Lakes steamers, ordered to the Atlantic to help meet the war's demand for tonnage, are being prepared for floating to sea. Already 60 vessels have been towed to tidewater, several of them necessarily cut in two to make possible their passage through the canal locks leading from Lake Erie to the St. Lawrence.

Victims in age with the Buffalo plant, the Glidersleeve Construction company, established 97 years ago on the Connecticut river, is building wooden hulls with a force of 500 men. On the same type of construction are engaged the Housatonic Shipbuilding company at Stratford, owned by Simon Lake, inventor of the Lake American naval submarine, and the Ship Construction and Trading company at Stonington. The Stratford yards employ 1300 men, those at Stonington, 700.

Along with several of the oldest, Connecticut has one of the newest yards in the east, at Groton. The Groton Iron Works, controlled with the

Bulgarian Government So

Declares In Announcing

Signing of Armistice

SOFIA, Monday, Sept. 30.—The Bulgarian government, in announcing officially today that an armistice has been signed and orders given to suspend military operations, declared that it will be only a short time until peace is made. The official statement says:

"At this moment the Bulgarian nation and army are asked, once hostilities have been suspended, to maintain calm and order so that the government may be able to complete the work of peace. Only a short time separates us from the day of definite peace. The nation must allow itself to be guided only by sentiments of ardent love for Bulgaria."

NEWS FROM CITY HALL

Infant Mortality Rate De-

creases Here From Week

to Week, Report Shows

Lowell's infant mortality rate is still on the decline, according to a report for the week ending Sept. 23, received at the office of the board of health this morning. Lowell had a rate of 15 per cent, and stood 18th on the list of large cities of the country. Rates for the highest cities were as follows: Milwaukee, 31.8; Buffalo, 23.7; Cleveland, 26; Grand Rapids, 23.7; Fall River, 23.3; Toledo, 22.5; St. Paul was the lowest with a rate of 2.3. Boston had a rate of 6.9, Chicago, 17.5; Philadelphia, 16.4; New York, 15.8.

Expense Accounts

Several more candidates at the recent state primaries have filed their expense accounts with City Clerk Flynn. They include Patrick F. Norbert, who spent \$3.50; Thomas J. Corbett, \$97.14; John J. O'Connell, \$7.09; Harry W. Leavitt, \$84.80, and Henry Aohin, Jr., \$50.05.

Weekly Payroll

This week's payroll amounts to \$25,706.37.

Appointment of Sergeants

There has been considerable discussion as to the appointment of three sergeants to the local police force by Mayor Thompson as a result of an examination held by the civil service commission here several weeks ago. While the leading competitors for the position have received their ranks, the mayor himself has received no official notification from the civil service commission and until this comes he has no power to appoint anybody. His Honor stated this afternoon that the minute he receives the official standing of the competitors, he will announce his appointees.

WIDE RETREAT OF THE GERMAN FORCES

PARIS, Oct. 3.—(Havas).—A wide retreat of the German forces on the western front is foreseen by the Berlin department of propaganda, which publishes a statement that Germany is actually shaking under the assaults of the reassembled entente forces.

It is necessary, the statement adds, that a portion of the German defensive positions be maintained in Belgium and France to keep Germany safe from the battles now being decided.

The German statement then adds that the American offensive between the Meuse and the Argonne is dying down and that the French offensive in the Champagne remains entangled in the first zone of the German defense system.

It is admitted that British troops have obtained successes in the Cambrai region and also that Haig's forces are fighting on the outskirts of the city. The note adds, however, that Cambrai is no longer the centre of railroads and high roads that it used to be. New railroads and highways, it is said, have been built further to the east since the town was menaced in the fall of 1917 by the battle of the tanks.

wooden shipways at Noank by the Charles W. Morse interests, has built a thoroughly modern and permanent plant, where steel vessels of 3000 and 3400 tons are being constructed. Six ways are served by a force of 2800 men, to be increased soon to 6000, and the first launching will be held in October. When the plant is completed late this fall ships ready to sail will be erected at the rate of 18 a year.

German Paper Pessimistic

Over Situation—Print the

News of Bulgars' Surrender

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 2.—The news of Bulgaria's unconditional surrender is now being published in the German press. It was admittedly withheld intentionally from public knowledge for a time because the German official world refused to credit it until the last moment.

"We are betrayed," is a sentence that frequently appears in the newspaper articles. The Frankfurt Gazette is the first to admit that the surrender is a direct consequence of the developments on the western front, and it describes King Ferdinand's reported messages of loyalty to the German and Austrian emperors as constituting "a psychological riddle."

The Cologne Volks Zeitung is deeply pessimistic regarding the future. It would be unwise, it says, to place any hopes on a counter movement.

O'NEILL INSURES STARS

Former Lowell Man Gets

Anita Stewart, Francis

Bushman and Wife to Sign

Lowell friends of M. C. O'Neill, special representative of the New York Life Insurance company and general agent for New England, will be interested in a recent exploit of his.

O'Neill will be regarded by insurance men the country over as an underwriter who recorded a bullseye in this latest stunt of his. He has succeeded in getting Anita Stewart, one of the best known and most beautiful motion picture actresses, to put her name on the dotted line of an application for insurance whose figure is to be \$500,000.

Having accomplished this, O'Neill secured enough of the time and attention of Francis X. Bushman and his new wife, Beverly Bayne, to interest them in the benefits of life insurance so that they took out a joint policy for \$1,000,000. In what was probably less than a day's work for him, as regards actual time spent, O'Neill earned in commissions what will amount to enough to pay a fair salary to the average man for a five-year period. But his Lowell friends hasten to add that some credit must be given O'Neill's personality, experience and knowing when to "close the sale."

SUSPEND EXAMINATIONS

OF DRAFT REGISTRANTS

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—All physical examinations of draft registrants and all meetings of registrants with legal advisory boards in this state were suspended by Adjutant General Jesse F. Stevens today by authority of Provost Marshal General Crowder. The time for return of all questionnaires is extended. This order is designed to prevent the crowding together of registrants while waiting their turn, and thus tend to reduce the danger of infection from influenza. It will also set at liberty physicians who would have to examine registrants and give them time to attend to influenza cases.

DELAY IN SENDING OUT MASTER DRAFT LIST

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Unexpected delays in the printing of the master list of 17,000 order numbers, drawn Monday for the new draft registrants have prevented copies being started forward to all district draft boards.

It was said today, however, that lists for all boards would be in the mail by tomorrow morning, to be given out for publication immediately upon receipt.

The most careful checking and proof reading of the original lists have been necessary.

PROF. HOOPER DEAD

MEDFORD, Oct. 2.—Prof. William Leslie Hooper, for 25 years a member of the Tufts college faculty and acting president of the institution in 1912 and 1913 died at his home here today.

ANNUAL REUNION

The annual reunion of the alumni of Notre Dame academy, scheduled for the latter part of the month, has been postponed until next month, the exact date to be announced later.

FUNERALS

Continued

HELEN (McLarney) McGlinchey took place this morning from her late home, 124 Warwick street, at 9 o'clock and was largely attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. Stephen Murray. Solos of the mass were sustained by Miss Catherine Hennessy and Mr. Frank McCarthy. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Joseph McGlinchey, sang the Gregorian chant. Mr. Joseph McGlinchey presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes to testify to the high esteem in which the deceased was held, as well as many spiritual bouquets. The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. William Rogers, Daniel Roache, Andrew Simple, John Quirk, Henry Cullinan and Harold McFadden. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the last solemn rites of the church were read at 10 o'clock by Fr. Murray. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

CASSIN—The funeral of James F. Cassin took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 17 Swift street and proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 9 o'clock, a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Shea. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. Solos were rendered during the mass by Miss May Ryan and Mr. James E. Donnelly. Miss Gertrude Quigley presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings and several spiritual bouquets. The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. James Bailey, David Lane, James Cunningham, Patrick Daly, John O'Connell and Peter Donnelly. The burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read at the grave by Rev. Fr. Shea. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

TAYLOR—The funeral of Frederick H. Taylor took place this morning at 9 o'clock from his late home, 15 Auburn street and proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 9.45 o'clock, a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. Solos were rendered during the mass by Miss May Ryan and Mr. James E. Donnelly. Miss Gertrude Quigley presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings and numerous spiritual bouquets. Attending the funeral was a delegation from Lowell Aerie No. 228, P. O. Eagles consisting of Messrs. Sidney Willmott, Thomas F. Garity, Robert Monroe and John F. Connelly. Also a delegation from the Barbers' union consisting of Messrs. Thomas P. Smith, Frank McMahon, John J. Quirk, James Hanley, John Hanley, Henry Parker, Sidney Willmott and William O'Loughlin. The burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read at the grave by Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

MONAHAN—The funeral of Henry Monahan took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 413 Broadway, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including the following delegations: Lowell Aerie of Eagles; George Swallow, John Parker, William Furey, and Michael T. O'Rourke; Div. 3, A.O.H.; Michael J. Monahan, Michael Ryan, Thomas Larkin, and Matthew Donohue; Celtic Societies: Michael McDermott, John Dalton, William Morrison and J. J. Conery; Bar Tenders: John J. Sec. John Quirk, Wm. O'Loughlin, Philip J. Quirk and William F. Holly. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral mass was sung by Rev. Timothy Callahan, the choir under the direction of Mr. Michael J. Johnson, rendered the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Alice E. Murphy and Mr. Daniel S. O'Brien. Mr. Johnson presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes and of spiritual bouquets. In accordance with the precepts of their order the members of the Lowell Aerie of Eagles conducted their ritual for a departed brother at 7.30 o'clock on Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

DANIELTOPOLUS—The funeral of Violet Danielopolus took place this morning at 11 o'clock from the parlors of C. H. Molloy's Sons in Market street. Services were held at Holy Trinity church. Burial was in Westlawn cemetery under the direction of C. H. Molloy's Sons.

HOGAN—The funeral of Miss Alice Lillian Hogan took place this morning at 8.30 from her late home, 54 Bartlett street. At 9 o'clock a requiem mass was celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The Gregorian chant was sung by the choir. Mr. David Martin sang the Pie Jesu in excellent voice and Miss Marion Ryan sang the Domine Jesu Christo with real feeling. Mrs. Hugh Walker was the organist. There were many beautiful floral offerings and the funeral was largely attended. The bearers were William Campbell, John Conroy, William McManus, Ernest

FUNERAL NOTICES

ATKINSON—The funeral of this city, Oct. 1st, at her home, 532 South Whipple street, Mrs. Addie Atkins, died yesterday, 7 months and 16 days. Funeral services will be held at her home, 532 South Whipple street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

CROWN—The funeral of the late Mary E. Crown will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 14 Bradford street. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CARDINAL—The funeral of Margaret Cardinal will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons. A mass will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FAULKNER—The funeral of Annie Faulkner will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the chapel of her parents, John and Katherine Faulkner, 3 Edwards street. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

GALLAGHER—The funeral of Anna Ellen Gallagher will take place Friday afternoon from the home of her parents, George and Margaret Gallagher, 276 Fayette street. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

HUNTLEY—The funeral of the late Ernest H. Huntley will take place today at 10 o'clock from his late home, 151 Grand street. Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery. Millbridge, in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HAYWARD—Died in this city, Oct. 1st, 1918, at her home, 161 Grand street, Mrs. Katherine (Gilchrist) Hayward, aged 23 years, 7 months, and 1 day. Funeral services will be held at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary (Gilchrist) 22 Bellevue street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

MURRAY—The funeral of Mrs. Annie Murray will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 14 Agawam street. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Higgins Bros.

MILLIKEN—The funeral of Mrs. Bessie (Briggs) Milliken will take place Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home of her parents, John and Katherine Milliken, 3 Edwards street. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

MURPHY—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Murphy will take place Friday afternoon from her home, 2 Pollard avenue, at 2 o'clock. Burial in Westlawn cemetery in charge of Higgins Bros., undertakers.

NEWTON—Died in this city Oct. 3rd, Fred Newton, aged 82 years, at the home of his son, Wilmer A. Newton, 11 Ralph street. Funeral services will be held at the home of his son, Wilmer A. Newton, 11 Ralph street, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Both the funeral service and burial will be private.

ORourke—The funeral of James O'Rourke will take place Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his home, 74 Broadway. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Please omit flowers. Funeral arrangements in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

QUINN—The funeral of the late John W. Quinn will take place Saturday morning from his home, 15 Cross street, at 9 o'clock. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

REGAN—The funeral of Master William Regan will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of his parents, William and Mary Regan, 43 Union street. Funeral mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Peter's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

SMITH—The funeral of Mr. John H. Smith will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home, 56 Fourth street. Interment in Westlawn cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

SEBASTIAN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Sebastian will take place Saturday morning at 8.15 o'clock from her late home, 39 West street. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

TRINOR—The funeral of Private John J. Trinor will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from his late home, 3 Goward court. Funeral mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9.45 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Wm. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

WORTHLEY—Died in Titicut, Mass., Oct. 2, Frank E. Worthley, aged 51 years, 11 months and 17 days. Funeral services will be held at the parlors of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private.

WALSH—The funeral of John J. Walsh will take place Friday morning from his home, 145 West street, at 8 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of the funeral.

ZIPPUS—The funeral of Mrs. Mary (Morrison) Zippus will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from her late home, 24 West street. Funeral mass will be celebrated at the Sacred Heart church at 8 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

DEATHS—Frank Holt died yesterday at the home of his sister, Mrs. John H. Matloy, 8 Ralph street, aged 26 years, 2 months and 2 days. He is survived by his father, George Holt of England; three sisters, Mrs. James E. Taylor and Mrs. John H. Matloy of this city and Mrs. Frank Clifford of England; one brother, James Holt, with the British Expeditionary Forces in France.

WORTHLEY—Frank E. Worthley died yesterday in Titicut, Mass., aged 51 years. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Albert F. Freeman and one niece, Mildred F. Freeman. The body

will be brought to this city for burial.

MELINSON—Mrs. Minnie (Robichaud) Melinson, wife of Joseph Melinson, died last night at her home, 38 Fisher street, aged 37 years. Besides her husband, she leaves her mother, Mrs. Malanda Robichaud; six children, Arthur J. in France, Perley J., Eunice, Leone, Beatrice and Anna Melinson; four brothers, Dennis, James, Paul and Edward Robichaud, and two sisters, Mary and Emma Robichaud.

DUBI—Delphis Dube, aged 43 years, died suddenly yesterday at his home, 75 Worthen street. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Felix Dube of Canada; two brothers and three sisters. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertakers Amodeo Archambault & Sons.

MILLIKEN—Mrs. Bessie (Briggs) Milliken, aged 23 years, died yesterday at her home, 44 Merrill street. Besides her husband, James, she leaves her mother, four sisters and two brothers, all of Virginia. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

HOWGATE—Jonas A. Howgate, aged 24 years, died Monday in East Dedham. The body will be brought to this city for burial.

TANAGLOPOULOS—Violet Tanaglopoulos, aged 1 year, died yesterday at the home of her parents, Peter and Panagiotis, 6 rear of 439 Market st.

RICE—Mrs. Anna Thomas Rice, widow of Frank Rice, died Tuesday at her home in Boston.

McELROY—Mrs. Ellen McElroy died yesterday at her home, 2 Pollard avenue. She leaves her husband, David; three daughters, Ellen, Kathleen and Emmeline; two sons, Robert and David; her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. William McElroy; two sisters, Misses Mary and Celia McElroy, and four brothers, John, James, George and Samuel McElroy.

WILSON—Passed away at Greenfield, Mass., George Harold Wilson, of pneumonia, aged 24 years, 11 months, 29 days. He was the son of Willis F. Wilson, in the U. S. Army, and the late Ella D. (Holman) Wilson. For many years he resided in Lowell and later made his home in Nashua.

NEWTON—Died in this city Oct. 3d, Fred Newton, aged 82 years, at the home of his son, Wilmer A. Newton, 11 Ralph street. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Arminia L. Newton, and two sons, Wilmer A. Newton and Leon E. Newton.

LEVY—Roland, aged 2 years, 2 months and 5 days, infant son of Virgil and Marie Levy, died last night at the home of his parents, 731 Lakeview avenue.

DAIGLE—Francis Daigle, aged 56 years and 1 month, died today at his home, 77 Dalton street. He leaves his wife and several children.

BOISVERT—Mrs. Hector Boisvert nee Georgianna Normand, aged 37 years, died today at her home, 16 Phoebe avenue. She leaves her husband.

JOHNSON—John, aged 7 days, infant son of John and Marianne Johnson, died today at the home of his parents, 983 Moody street.

DIXON—Mrs. Sarah A. Dixon died today in this city. She was the widow of Thomas Dixon, and is survived by one son, David J. Dixon. The body was taken to the home of her son, Ripley street, North Chelmsford, by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

GALLAGHER—Anna Ellen Gallagher, beloved daughter of George and Margaret (Mulligan) died this morning at her home, 275 Fayette street, aged 2 years and 2 months. Besides her parents, she leaves one sister, Margaret Helen Gallagher.

McMULLY—Hugh McMully died this morning at the Lowell General hospital after a short illness.

FELTON—Mr. Charles A. Felton, a well known resident of this city, passed away at his home, 22 Snaffer street, this morning, aged 34 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Olga (Petersen) Felton; one son, George; his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Felton of this city; two brothers, Harry and James, now of the United States navy, and two sisters, Mrs. Edith Smith of this city and Miss Jennie Belle Felton of this city. The body was removed to the funeral chapel of Undertaker Herbert A. Simmons.

SMITH—Mr. John H. Smith, a well known resident of this city, died last night at his home, 36 Fourth street, after a short illness, aged 43 years and 10 months. He is survived by his wife, Margaret, four sons, Albert in the United States navy, John H., Jr., Arthur and Raymond. The time of funeral will be announced later.

CHATO—Robert Craig died this morning at the Lowell General hospital at the age of 11 weeks. His home was in Haverhill, Mass. The remains were removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

HUME—Mrs. Estelle May Hume, formerly of Cambridge, passed away yesterday afternoon at her home at Nuttings Lake, Billerica, after a short illness, at the age of 35 years. She is survived by her husband, who is with the American Forces in France as an engineer; also her mother in Billerica. The body will be taken to Cambridge for burial by Undertaker William H. Saunders.

MONAHAN—Mrs. Margaret Glynn Monahan, widow of the late Henry Monahan, died this morning at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Murphy, 120 Adams street. She leaves a sister, Mrs. Michael O'Loughlin, and a brother, Martin Glynn of Ireland.

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FAULKNER—Annie Faulkner, aged 12 years, died today at the home of her parents, John and Catherine Faulkner, 3 Everett street. Besides her parents, she leaves three brothers, Frederick, Bernard and Charles, and a sister, Mrs. Ruth Veley.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the hour of our bereavement in the death of our beloved brother.

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We, the undersigned, wish to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all our relatives and friends who so kindly assisted us in the hour of our bereavement at the death of our son and brother, Joseph Moore. We also wish to thank all those who sent floral and spiritual offerings, to which and all we are deeply grateful and will ever remember their kindness.

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Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

F. M. ESTEY, Register.

Under authority of Section 40, Chapter 290 of the Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of 1908, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 401, of the Acts of 1910, and Chapter 211 of the Acts of 1912, notice is hereby given that Book No. 27948 on the Washington Savings Institution is lost or destroyed, and payment has been stopped, and application has been made for payment of the amount.

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WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN THE ST. QUENTIN SECTOR, Wednesday, Oct. 2. (By the Associated Press.)—American regiments fighting in the Hindenburg line along this sector of the front have seen some of the hardest fighting of the war. It was a furious desperate struggle, into which they plunged. They fought day and night in groups and single-handed in and out of shell holes. They showed gallantry, self-sacrifice and devotion to duty unsurpassed by any other troops.

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Many Rough and Tumble Battles—Enormous Booty Taken by the Yanks

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY NORTHWEST OF VERDUN, Wed., Oct. 2. (By The Associated Press.)—Violent artillery firing developed along the center of the American line between the Meuse and the Aisne today. The Germans also bombarded the American positions on the right near the Meuse, to a limited extent, but on the extreme left, there was a significant silence for the greater part of the day.

Threaten to Cut Off Voe
Along this sector of the front the positions held by the Americans follow a zigzag line. The number of Germans near the Argonne forest is less than that fighting on the eastern side. General Gouraud's drive west of the forest, with the advance of the Americans to the east of it, threatens to cut off the enemy units still clinging to the wooded hills south of Grand Pré.

Heavy Enemy Fire
No general offensive was undertaken by the Americans today. All along the line fighting was restricted to patrol actions. It has been learned that the enemy expected a heavy attack today and to that fact is attributed his heavy artillery fire. This fire was particularly heavy, gas and high explosives and shrapnel shells being used. They were fired both from in front of the Americans and from across the Meuse. Not only were the forward positions bombarded, but many shells fell on Drilancourt, Harcourt and the country between Jurewood and the river.

Forces Savagely Shelled
At times this fire took on the character of a barrage, but it was concentrated for the most part, on the fighting line. It was shifted during the day to the center of the line and later moved far to the right, forces being savagely shelled until counter battery work decreased the volume of fire. The American guns have responded with a vigorous fire which punished the sides using machine guns. All day the sky was very cloudy and aviators were hampered in their work. This forced the armies to work without material assistance from the observers. At one point the Germans succeeded in getting airplanes across the line.

Smoke Bombs Dropped
Smoke bombs were dropped, indicating American positions to the enemy. One of the enemy machines was brought down by anti-aircraft guns, while pursuit planes accounted for others. One American aviator who was attacked by seven Fokkers fought his way out, bringing down one of the enemy machines.

Great Work by Artillery
According to the calculations of one airman, it was shown that in the calendar year of 1916, all the pilots in the aviation section of the allied armies flew an aggregate of 124,000 miles. In September of this year, one squadron alone flew for an aggregate of 4719 hours over the lines and covered a total of 500,000 miles. This does not include numerous trial flights.

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tired and wet, they displayed keen spirit all along the line. In every trench they were as full of energy and determination as on the first day of the battle. Engineer battalions have done good work on the roads. Commissary trains are moving forward steadily and rations are reaching the men in the most advanced positions.

Leather Coats for Yanks
Anticipating sharp fall weather, the staff ordered sleeveless leather coats issued to most of the men at the front. These coats are lined with felt and are worn over the uniform. They keep out the wind and turn the rain. They have proven to be one of the most popular articles of wear with the men.

Rough-and-Tumble Fighting
The spirit of the men in this battle is demonstrated by that shown by those in the Argonne forest. This is the last place in the battle area to dry out and is always gloomy in the depth of the wood. Fighting has gone on there with the same stubbornness which characterized the first day's effort. Machine gunners were left behind by the Germans to defend the main body and there has been some great rough-and-tumble fighting in the forest.

Vast Booty Taken
Much booty has fallen into the hands of the Americans, including an electric power station at Varennes. It is estimated that it must have cost \$20,000 to equip this plant with water power. The Germans left so hurriedly that they did not damage the machinery and the Americans are using it. Americans are also utilizing miles of telephone wire and some central exchange material which had been left in position by the retreating enemy.

The latest summary of the material captured shows 120 guns of all calibers; 750 trench mortars; 300 machine guns; 100 anti-tank guns; thousands of shells and hundreds of thousands of rounds of small arm ammunition.

Americans Take Prisoners
East of Verdun and about Douaumont heavy shell fire was maintained by the enemy today. In a minor engagement in the Voivre sector, American forces captured 30 prisoners.

Important American Advance
The line is part of the general German defensive system beginning at Douai, continuing south by La Fère and thence east to the Meuse. Crossing the Meuse, the line extends eastward by way of Blain and runs across the St. Mihiel salient to the Moselle which it reached just south of Pagny. When the St. Mihiel salient was reduced by the Americans the enemy was forced behind this system in that vicinity.

On the greater part of the front between the Aisne and Meuse rivers the enemy is either on or immediately in front of this line. On this front the enemy's main combat zone was bounded on the south by a line of resistance along Laifon ravine and on the north by the Volker-Steeling line. This exceptionally strong system originally began east of Montfaucun and ran south of that city through Ivroy, Epinonville and the woods east of Eclisfontaine.

Yanks Cut Principal Zone
The Americans have already broken through this principal zone of resistance and so are racing the Kriemhild-Steeling system.

From the west to the east along this front, the system runs from north of St. Juvin to south of Landres-et-St. Georges and continues eastward including the heights of Romagne wood and Gesnes wood, which dominate the important valley of the Andon. This river is crossed just south of Romagne and then the system runs to the south-east across the higher ground, in the forests of De Cannel and De Pais. Then, turning northward, it follows the crest of the hills over naturally strong positions until it reaches the Meuse north of Brioules.

It is further protected by prepared positions on Hill 262, across the Meuse.

Great Natural Strength
This system is one of very great natural strength, based on a series of heights, wooded districts, ravines and valleys, both on and behind the actual line. Certain key positions have been built on concrete and entanglements are prepared for immediate use. At other points the enemy is reported to have been erecting new fortifications since the beginning of the American offensive.

The Kriemhild-Steeling system was begun last year before the Americans became an active factor in the war. It was strengthened from time to time, trenches being laid out and dugouts finally added to the work, so far as known no new wire has been placed recently along this line, but certain strategic positions have been strengthened.

As it is the last enemy defense system between the Americans and the Meuse where it flows north to Mesieres, a stubborn effort to hold it may be anticipated and the difficulty of carrying this system is not underrated by Americans.

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FEAR UPRISING

German Military Authorities Begin to Remove Inhabitants of Alsace.

People From 20 Villages Sent to Bavaria—Some Escape Across Swiss Frontier

GENEVA, Oct. 3.—German military authorities have begun to remove the inhabitants of Alsace, according to the Democratic, in expectation of a Franco-American attack on the frontier.

The inhabitants of 20 villages, including Ferrette, Gontavon and Wisen, already have been sent to Bavaria. Some of the villagers have escaped across the Swiss frontier. Fear of disorder is rampant throughout Alsace-Lorraine, not only among the civilians but also among the military forces. Food is scarce. The German authorities in Alsace-Lorraine, the Democratic adds, are afraid of a general uprising when the allies cross the frontier.

GREAT ENEMY RETREAT

Continued
tiring from the La Bassee sector. Men in and Roulers are burning, the Belgians are within two miles of Thuroching and Lille is being emptied of its civilian population.

Around St. Quentin, the fighting still continues, but it has apparently taken on the aspect of a rear guard engagement at some points.

Huns Drop Back Near Rheims

Near Rheims the Germans are dropping back before the advance of General Berthelot's army. In Champagne the enemy is slowly giving ground as General Gouraud moves northward. To Give Up Coast Bases
In the Belgian sector the situation is most critical for the Germans. Their retirement from La Bassee appears to make necessary the abandonment of the district of Lens, to which they have clung since 1914. If Lille also falls, the whole German line for a long distance southward may be rolled up if there is not a prompt re-location of forces.

There are reports of the Germans moving their heavy guns back from the western Planders coast and rumors come from Holland that the whole coast may be evacuated. Big Gap in Hindenburg Line
British, American and French forces seem to have definitely broken the Hindenburg line between Le Catelet and St. Quentin. They are across the Somme river, which was the strongest line of defense in this sector. Ahead of them is rolling country over which they can resort to open warfare, and then comes the Oise river, with its line of railroad which affords the only direct means of escape for the Germans holding the front from Le Fere southward to the Allier. Before the Oise is reached, the Germans must either bring greater power into the line than at any time during the tremendous battle of the past week, or must hurry their forces out of the St. Gobain sector to avoid envelopment.

French Smash on North of Rheims

North of Rheims, the French threaten to reach the open country. They have carried the hill positions which afforded excellent defensive positions and seem ready to bound forward across the lowlands east of the Aisne canal. If they succeed in carrying out this drive, they will compel the Germans west and east of them to retreat.

Americans Fighting Hard

In the Champagne and the Argonne the French and Americans are fighting hard and progress seems to be slow, but the statement of Marshal Foch evidently had this in view and foresaw that the drive north of Rheims would have a close relation with that near Verdun.

Turkey Sends Another "Feeler"

With Damascus lost to the British, Turkey is again reported to have unofficially approached the allies with proposals for an armistice.

Austrians Want Peace

In Austria the demand for peace is assuming a more definite phase. Baron Von Hussarek, the Austrian premier, made an address before the lower house of parliament in which he expressed the belief that efforts to end the war would be continued by Austria and outlined some of the problems which a peace by negotiation would involve.

OCCUPATION OF BULGARIA

BY ALLIES PROGRESSING

PARIS, Oct. 3.—Occupation of Bulgaria by allied troops is progressing normally, according to Marcel Hutins, of the Echo de Paris.

Bulgarian troops resist at certain points, he says, but submit as soon as they are apprised of the fact that an armistice has been signed. German troops which have been fighting in Macedonia are moving northward and appear to be organizing a defensive line along the Danube. They have already fortified the Rumanian bank of the river and it appears that communications between Sofia and Constantinople have already been cut.

PREMIER ORLANDO

ON ITALIAN FRONT

ROME, Oct. 3.—Premier Orlando left for the Italian front coincident with the Bulgarian armistice, according to the Idea National. This armistice, it adds, "has no changed conditions on all fronts that it creates possibilities for activities by the allied forces along new lines not heretofore foreseen."

Private Paul J. Chase of Brattleboro has written to his mother that when he was on a transport crossing the Atlantic he took a book from the ship library and found in it an inscription showing that it was sent to the Brattleboro library by Dr. E. R. Lynch of Brattleboro in response to the call for books for soldiers.

LINE CRUMBLING

German Paper Admits Situation On the Western Front Is Grave

Says Allied Plan of Attack Carried Out in an Extraordinary Manner

PARIS, Oct. 3.—(Havas) The German situation on the western front is grave, the Frankfort Zeitung admits, adding that the German front is gradually crumbling.

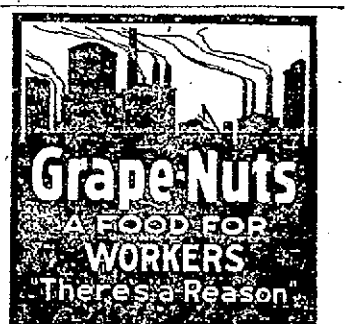
"The allied plan of attack," it adds, "is being carried out in an extraordinary manner. It is an awful strain on our front. The situation on the Meuse where the American attacks are just beginning, is extremely critical; part of the Chemin-des-Dames lines had to be given up, and the whole German front is gradually crumbling away under the allied attacks." The evacuation of Belgium, is being discussed openly in Berlin, according to advices reaching here. Concerning Alsace-Lorraine, the German high command makes the suggestion that it be neutralized and joined to Luxembourg, thus making a buffer state between France and Germany.

GERMAN PAPERS DISCUSS THE POSSIBLE SURRENDER OF AUSTRIA-BAVARIA MAY QUIT

PARIS, Oct. 3.—(Havas)—The German censor at Berlin permits the German press to print articles dwelling on the probable situation of Germany in

the case that Austria should be forced to lay down her arms under pressure, according to advices reaching Paris. It is declared that if Austria-Hungary should give in, Bavaria might follow her example.

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